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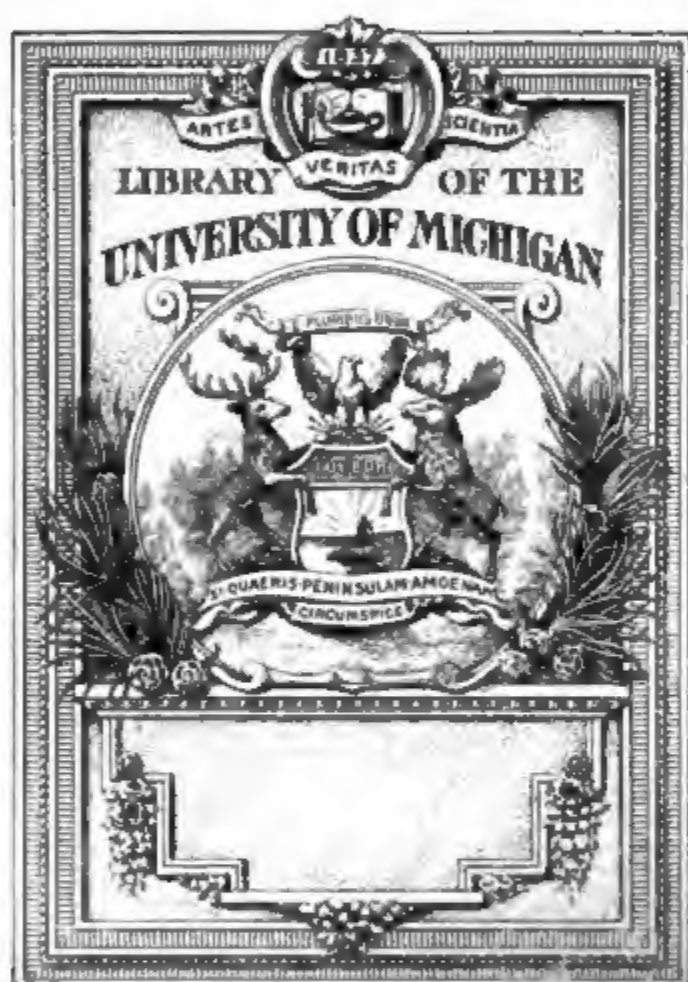
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· LIST OF GENERAL ORDERS AND THEIR CONDITION AT THIS DATE.

1. Report of the committee on the right of suffrage and the qualification to hold office.

Referred to committee on revision, July 31.

2. Report of the committee on the Legislature—its organization, and the number, appointment, election, tenure of office and compensation of its members.

Referred to committee on revision, August 8.

3. Report of the committee on the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, their election, tenure of office, compensation, powers and duties, except as otherwise referred.

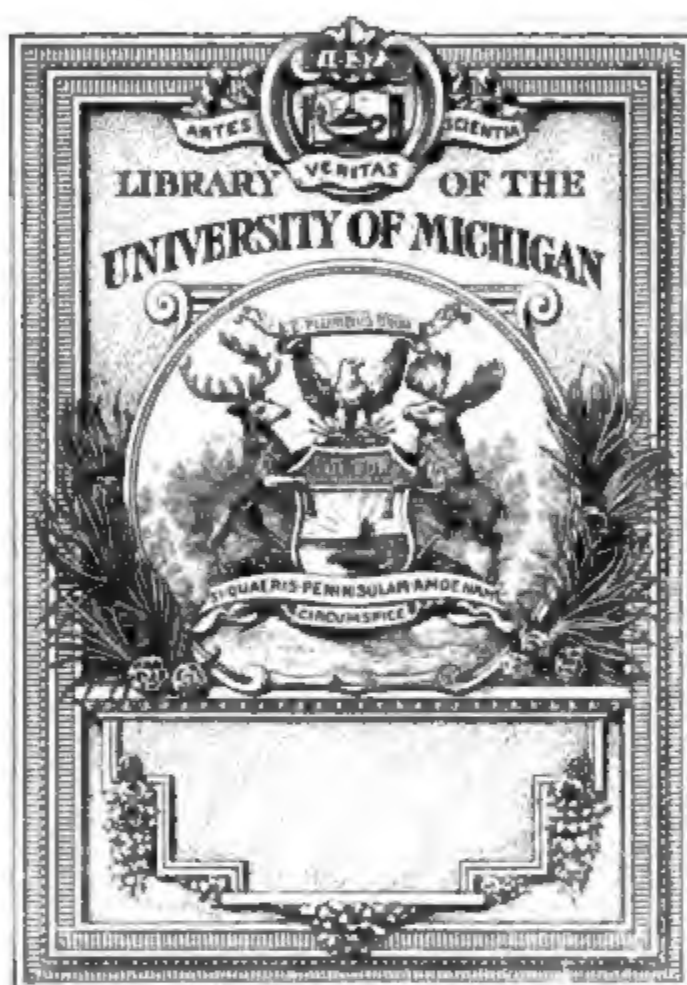
In progress, in committee of the whole.

4. Joint report of the committee on currency, banking and insurance, and the committee on corporations, other than banking and insurance.

Referred to committee on revision, August 21.

5. Report of the committee on town and county officers, other than judicial, their election or appointment, tenure of office, compensation, powers and duties.

Referred to committee on revision, August 15.



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JOINT REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON CURRENCY, BANKING AND INSURANCE, AND THE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATIONS, OTHER THAN MUNICIPAL, BANKING AND INSURANCE, AS AMENDED AND REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, AMENDED AND ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION, AND REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

ARTICLE VIII.

1 SECTION 1. Corporations may be formed under general laws,
2 but shall not be created or their powers increased or diminished
3 by special act, except for municipal purposes. All laws passed
4 pursuant to this section, or which may have been heretofore
5 passed, may be altered from time to time, or repealed. No con-
6 solidation of railroad corporations shall be authorized by the

7 Legislature, where the aggregate capital shall exceed twenty
8 millions of dollars.

1 SEC. 2. Dues from corporations shall be secured by such
2 individual liability of the corporators and other means, as may
3 be prescribed by law.

1 SEC. 3. The term corporation as used in this article, shall be
2 construed to include all associations and joint stock companies
3 having any of the privileges and powers of corporations, not
4 possessed by partnerships or individuals. And all corporations
5 shall have the right to sue and shall be subject to be sued, in
6 all courts in like cases as natural persons.

1 SEC. 4. The Legislature shall have no power to pass any law,
2 sanctioning in any manner, directly or indirectly, the suspen-
3 sion of specie payments by any person or corporation.

1 SEC. 5. The Legislature shall provide by law for the registry
2 of all bills or notes issued or put in circulation as money, by
3 virtue of any law of this State, and shall require ample security
4 for the redemption of the same in specie. In case of the insol-
5 vency of any bank or banking association, the bill holders thereof
6 shall be entitled to preference in payment over all other creditors
7 of such bank or association.

1 SEC. 6. The stockholders in every corporation and joint stock

2 association for banking purposes, issuing bank notes or any kind
3 of paper credits to circulate as money, shall be individually
4 liable to the amount of their respective share or shares of stock
5 in any such corporation or association, for all its debts and lia-
6 bilities of every kind.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 93.

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August 21, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR, THEIR ELECTION, TENURE OF OFFICE, COMPENSATION, POWERS AND DUTIES, EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE REFERRED, AS REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION AND REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

ARTICLE.

1 •SECTION 1. The executive power shall be vested in a Gov-
2 ernor, who shall hold his office for two years; a Lieutenant-
3 Governor shall be chosen at the same time and for the same
4 term.

1 SEC. 2. No person, except a citizen of the United States,
2 shall be eligible to the office of Governor, nor shall any person
3 be eligible to that office, who shall not have attained the age of

4 thirty years, and who shall not have been five years next pre-
5 ceding his election a resident within this State.

1 SEC. 3. The Governor and Lieutenant-Governor shall be
2 elected at the times and places of choosing members of the
3 Assembly. The persons respectively having the highest num-
4 ber of votes for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, shall be
5 elected; but in case two or more shall have an equal and the
6 highest number of votes for Governor, or for Lieutenant-
7 Governor, the two Houses of the Legislature, at its next annual
8 session shall forthwith, by joint ballot, choose one of the said
9 persons so having an equal and the highest number of votes for
10 Governor or Lieutenant-Governor.

1 SEC. 4. The Governor shall be commander-in chief of the
2 military and naval forces of the State. He shall have power to
3 convene the Legislature (or the Senate only) on extraordinary
4 occasions. He shall communicate by message to the Legisla-
5 ture at every session, the condition of the State, and recommend
6 such measures to them, as he shall judge expedient. He shall
7 transact all necessary business with the officers of government,
8 civil and military. He shall expedite all such measures as
9 may be resolved upon by the Legislature, and shall take care
10 that the laws are faithfully executed. He shall at stated times
11 receive for his services a compensation to be established by law,
12 to be first fixed by the Legislature at its first session, after the

13 adoption of this Constitution, and which compensation shall
14 neither be increased nor diminished after his election or during
15 his term of office.

1 SEC. 5. In case of the impeachment of the Governor, or his
2 removal from office, death, inability to discharge the powers and
3 duties of the said office, resignation or absence from the State,
4 the powers and duties of the office shall devolve upon the Lieu-
5 tenant-Governor for the residue of the term, or until the disa-
6 bility shall cease. But when the Governor shall, with the
7 consent of the Legislature, be out of the State in time of war,
8 at the head of a military force thereof, he shall continue com-
9 mander-in-chief of all the military force of the State.

1 SEC. 6. The Lieutenant-Governor shall possess the same
2 qualifications of eligibility for office as the Governor. He shall
3 be President of the Senate, but shall have only a casting vote
4 therein. If, during a vacancy of the office of Governor, the
5 Lieutenant-Governor shall be impeached, displaced, resign, die,
6 or become incapable of performing the duties of his office, or
7 he be absent from the State, the President of the Senate shall
8 act as Governor, until the vacancy be filled, or the disability
9 shall cease.

1 SEC. 7. The Lieutenant-Governor shall receive for his ser-
2 vices a compensation to be established by law, to be first fixed

3 by the Legislature at its first session after the adoption of this
4 Constitution; and which compensation shall neither be increased
5 nor diminished after his election, or during his term of
6 office, and he shall not, receive or be entitled to any other or
7 further compensation, fees or perquisites for any other duties or
8 services he may be required to perform by virtue of his office
9 by this Constitution or by law.

1 SEC. 8. Every bill which shall have passed the Legislature,
2 shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor. If
3 he approve, he shall sign it, but if not, he shall return it with
4 his objections to that house in which it shall have originated,
5 which shall enter the objections at large on its journal, and pro-
6 ceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds
7 of the members elected to such house shall agree to pass the bill,
8 it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house
9 by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by
10 two-thirds of all the members elected to such house, it shall
11 become a law notwithstanding the objections of the Governor
12 But in all such cases the votes in both houses shall be deter-
13 mined by ayes and noes, and the names of the members voting
14 for and against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each
15 house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the
16 Governor within ten days, Sundays excepted, after it shall have
17 been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as

18 if he had signed it, unless the Legislature by its adjournment
19 prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law. And no
20 bill shall become a law unless approved of and signed by the
21 Governor during the session of the Legislature at which the
22 same was passed, or the same be returned by him with his objec-
23 tions, and be reconsidered and passed as aforesaid.

The first of these is the fact that the
 number of cases of disease is not
 proportional to the number of persons
 exposed to the disease. This is
 because the disease is not equally
 contagious to all persons. Some
 persons are more susceptible than
 others, and some persons are more
 resistant than others. This is
 because of the difference in the
 strength of the immune system.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 94.

IN CONVENTION

August 21, 1867.

REPORT

FROM THE COMMITTEE ON THE MILITIA AND MILITARY OFFICERS.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. A militia force shall be maintained in order to
2 repel invasion, suppress insurrection and to aid in the enforce-
3 ment of the laws; and for this purpose all able bodied male citi-
4 zens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, shall be
5 annually enrolled under such regulations as shall be established
6 by law.

1 SEC. 2. The militia shall be divided into the active and reserve
2 forces. The active militia shall be designated the National Guard
3 of the State of New York; its number shall be fixed by law, and
4 it shall be at all times armed, equipped and disciplined. All
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5 enrolled persons not belonging to the National Guard shall con-
6 stitute the reserve force. All persons who shall have been hon-
7 orably discharged from the army or navy of the United States
8 shall be, in time of peace, exempt from service in the militia;
9 and all such inhabitants of this State, of any religious denomina-
10 tion whatever, as from scruples of conscience may be averse to
11 bearing arms, may be exempt therefrom upon such conditions as
12 may be provided by law.

1 SEC. 3. The Governor shall be Commander-in-Chief of all
2 the militia forces of the State; he shall appoint the chiefs of the
3 several staff departments, his aids-de-camp and military secre-
4 tary, all of whom shall hold office during his pleasure, their com-
5 missions to expire with the term for which the Governor shall
6 have been elected. The Governor shall nominate, and with the
7 consent of the Senate, appoint all general officers.

1 SEC. 4. General officers shall appoint their own staff officers,
2 who shall hold office during the pleasure of such general officers,
3 but their commissions shall expire with the commissions of the
4 officers appointing them. All officers of the militia shall be com-
5 missioned by the Governor, and no commissioned officer, except
6 those who hold office during the pleasure of the Governor or of
7 general officers, shall be removed from office unless by the Sen-
8 ate, on the recommendation of the Governor, stating the grounds
9 on which such removal is recommended, or by the sentence of a

10 general court martial. All commissions shall expire in ten years
11 from their dates, except those of the National Guard Reserves.

1 SEC. 5. Company, commissioned, and non-commissioned offi-
2 cers shall be chosen by the written votes of the members of their
3 respective companies ; and field officers of regiments and separate
4 battalions by the written votes of the commissioned officers of
5 their respective regiments or separate battalions ; but whenever
6 the militia shall be in active service, such right of election shall
7 be suspended and all commissioned officers shall be appointed by
8 the Governor, and non-commissioned officers, by the regimental
9 or separate battalion commanders on the recommendation of
10 their company commanders. Regimental and separate battalion
11 commanders shall appoint their own staff officers. All officers
12 not specified in this Article shall be appointed as may be pre-
13 scribed by law ; and in case the election and appointment of
14 militia officers in the manner directed by this Article shall not
15 be found conducive to the improvement of the militia, the Legis-
16 lature may change the same by law, provided two-thirds of the
17 members elected to each House shall concur therein.

1 SEC. 6. In the organization of the National Guard, the Legisla-
2 ture shall provide for including therein a list of reserve officers to be
3 composed of officers of the National Guard, of not less than ten years'
4 service in the same grade, and of officers honorably discharged
5 from the volunteer service of the United States who may be citizens

6 of this State. They may upon application be commissioned by the
7 Governor with rank equal to the highest held by them, by brevet
8 or otherwise, in the National Guard or United States Volunteers,
9 and they may be assigned to such service and be entitled to such
10 privileges and exemptions as the Legislature shall by law provide.

EXPLANATIONS.

The value of a well organized, instructed and reliable militia having been fully shown on many occasions where the ordinary police was insufficient to protect life and property, and to enforce the laws, your Committee has so modified Article XI in the Constitution as to perpetuate the National Guard, or organized militia, and establish it in such a manner as to make it most useful in case of need. It has been found better to have an efficient force of moderate number than to depend upon a large force not disciplined. Your Committee has therefore provided for dividing the militia of the State into the active and reserve militia; the first to consist of the National Guard, and the second, all citizens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, not belonging to the active forces, or exempt according to law.

In order to afford opportunity for promotion, and thus encourage efficiency and zeal in the service, and at the same time provide for the retirement of officers who may become inefficient from age, it has been thought advisable to limit all commissions in the active forces to ten years. Should the merits of an officer make it desirable to retain his services for a longer time, he can be re-elected or re-appointed; but the advantages of affording promotion are considered more desirable than those which might result from continuing officers in the same grade for life. But in order that the State may not entirely lose the services of officers who have had ten years' experience in one grade, and that they may not feel themselves aggrieved by being deprived of all military rank, your Committee has provided for a reserve list of National Guard officers, upon which such officers may be placed, and which will in no way interfere with the organizations of regiments, brigades, etc. This list will also make provision for such officers of the volunteer service as have been honorably mustered out of the United States army and may be citi-

zens of this State. In cases of emergency the advantages of having a number of educated and experienced officers in reserve immediately available, cannot be too highly estimated.

The election of field and line offices has been retained, but general officers are to be appointed by the Governor, with the consent of the Senate.

The list of exemptions from the militia service has been increased by adding such persons as have served in the volunteer service, army and navy, or have been honorably discharged from either.

According to the report of the Inspector-General for 1866, the National Guard numbered 52,247, and the reserve militia, 361,505; but as the requirements of the State cannot be anticipated with certainty, it has been thought proper to leave the number of the National Guard to be fixed by the Legislature.

Your Committee is of opinion that every proper means should be employed to encourage service in the National Guard, and to honor the men who evince their public spirit and love of country by serving faithfully in this important arm of the public defense, upon which the protection of our homes must ever depend in the hour of danger. It has always shown itself prompt to respond to the call of the State or of the general government. That it is an invaluable school for military instruction is sufficiently shown by the fact that during the recent war, according to the statement of our Adjutant-General, more than twelve thousand officers in the volunteer service were furnished by the National Guard of the State of New York.

WM. H. MORRIS, *Chairman.*

J. J. SEAVER,

HENRY D. BARTO,

C. C. DWIGHT,

A. J. CHERITREE,

JOHN M. HAMMOND.

I concur in the foregoing reasons except those for the appointment of Brigade Commanders. I believe that the public service will be better promoted by the election of such commanders, as provided for in the present Constitution, than by their appointment as above recommended.

NORMAN STRATTON.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 95.

IN CONVENTION

September 4, 1867.

TESTIMONY

TAKEN BEFORE THE JOINT COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY IN RELATION TO THE MANAGEMENT OF THE CANALS; BEING A CONTINUATION OF THE TESTIMONY CONTAINED IN DOCUMENT No. 40, HERETOFORE PRESENTED TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.

ALBANY, N. Y., *July 30th*, 1867.

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment of yesterday, at 10
A. M.

Present—Senators STANFORD and GIBSON, and Mr. MITCHELL, counsel to the Committee.

FREDERICK J. WARBURTON appeared as stenographer to the committee.

The following testimony was elicited:

Sidney Seeley, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Schuylerville, Saratoga county.

Q. You own a place on the Champlain canal? A. Yes sir.

Q. What is it? A. Some land and a storehouse, lumber yard, coal yard, &c.

Q. When this enlargement was going on was there work done in front of your storehouse? A. When do you mean?

A. At any time when they were enlarging the canal? A. It was made down there this spring.

Q. Now will you state what took place between you and the engineer in reference to making the canal larger than the original survey of it, and what you paid for it—all the circumstances connected with it? A. Well sir, I asked them to make it wider; it was not wide enough for boats to pass while other boats lay there; it bothered me a good deal last season, and this spring I asked them if they would not dig it out there, and they said they would if it came round so they could get help enough to do it; that they had all the work they could do themselves, and they said if I could find help and go on and do it, I might go on; I told them I thought I could without any trouble get the help; and the agent under the contractor, Mr. Nelson, said that the timber that he would have to put in there for docking would cost him more than they would allow him for it, and if I was willing to make up the difference of what the timber would cost and get men to go on and do it they would put it in; I told him I would; he said it would probably cost something over \$100; I told him I would give him \$100 if he would put the dock in.

Q. Give who \$100? A. Mr. Nelson.

Q. Who was the contractor? A. Willard Johnson and Mr. Nelson was his agent. You hardly ever see Mr. Johnson along there. I got the men and went and did the work as they ordered, and when they settled the bills with me they paid me, less \$100; that is, I gave them \$100.

Q. Who did you pay it to? A. Mr. Nelson.

Q. What did it cost the State? A. Well, I should think it cost \$1,000; that is, to do the work; I don't know what it cost the State.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. How was the transaction accomplished? Did you give a

voucher for the full amount? A. No, sir, I did not give any voucher at all; merely settled by our books.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Was this contract a repair contract? A. There was an old dock there, but very much out of repair; a dock the State built. I built this building two years ago last fall, and the canal was not wide enough so a boat could lie there and load and others pass it, as now; it was crooked. We went on and took this old dock out; it was pretty much used up, rotted out, so that the dirt would run into the canal when a rain came. I repaired it myself a year ago last spring for my own accommodation, which cost me about \$100. I took this old dock out and put a new one in.

Q. What section is this on? A. Section No. 1 of the Champlain canal.

Q. Repair section? A. Yes.

Q. This was enlargement work? A. Yes.

Q. And it cost the State about \$1,000 to do what you paid \$100 for? A. Yes, sir; I should think about that.

Q. Under the enlargement contract? A. Yes.

Q. This widening of the canal at this point was done under the enlargement contract? A. I should think it was.

Q. And it cost the State about a thousand dollars? A. Well, that is what I calculated it would cost.

Q. They charged you \$100 for the additional cost, it would be to them for furnishing the timber? A. I allowed them in figuring up the gross amount \$100 to do the work.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. Did they tell you it was full width when you wanted it enlarged there? A. Yes; that he could not do it under the repair contract.

Q. But that if you would pay this hundred dollars he would get it done? A. Mr. Nelson said to me: "We have got all the work on repairs that we can do with the men we have, but if you think you can get men to do the work, and are willing to pay me what extra the timber would cost, what it is worth over what I would get for it, putting it on repair work, you can go on and do it;" so I took the responsibility, got the men, and did the work.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. That had reference simply to the repair contract, but as I

understand the widening of the canal was done under the enlargement contract? A. Yes, sir; as I understand the matter, Mr. Nelson or Mr. Johnson were under no obligations to do this work.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Did you not understand they got extra pay from the State for the widening of the canal? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You know that they got pay from the State on the enlargement work for widening this canal beyond the width that the canal should have been properly made? A. I suppose they did.

Q. Did the engineers know of your paying money to the contractor? A. Not that I know of.

Q. This was a job got up between you and Mr. Nelson? A. Between me and Mr. Nelson; I had no consultation with the engineers.

Q. Do you know how much they got out of the State for enlarging that beyond what the canal ought to have been enlarged? A. No, sir.

Q. You think about \$1,000? A. I think it cost about \$1,000.

Q. Did the engineers lay out this extra work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who? A. Printriff and another man, I don't know his name.

The Committee took a recess until 2 1-2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION—2 1-2 P. M.

The Committee met.

Alanson Welch, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Schuylerville, Saratoga county.

Q. Have you been the Superintendent of section No. 1 of repairs of the Champlain canal? A. I have.

Q. When? A. The last appointment was in 1864, 1865 and 1866. The first appointment was in 1856, and that ran to 1860, then I resigned and was gone three years and took it again in 1864, and was in 1864, 1865 and 1866.

Q. In the performance of your duties as Superintendent, did you

ave occasion to give instructions to contractors for repairs to do work in reference to said section? A. Yes, sir, I did.

Q. Which you believed to be required by their contract? A. Yes, sir; it was required by their contract.

Q. Was it done by them? A. Some portions of it was and some was not.

Q. To the full extent you directed? A. No, sir; not always.

Q. Or to the full extent required by the contract? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you endeavor to carry out your duties as Superintendent, and make them perform their contracts? A. I did, sir.

Q. Did you have a copy of the contracts, so you knew what your duties were? A. I did.

Q. Who was the contractor whom you endeavored to compel to perform his contract? A. The last contract was in the name of Samuel G. Hart, of Fulton, I think.

Q. Who really was the contractor? A. Willard Johnson assumed the contract?

Q. He was the real man that you had to deal with? A. Yes, sir, and his agent; he had an agent.

Q. Did you insist upon the contractor living up to his contract? A. I did.

Q. Did Commissioner Dorn have any conversation with you in reference to that matter? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When? A. I think in April—a year ago last April.

Q. Soon after he came into office? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What was that? A. Well, I had given them an order to go and put the canal in repair for the spring, and I supposed at the time that they went to Mr. Dorn and made a complaint that I was making them do too much work, and he spoke to me and asked me if I had not better go a little easier with them; my answer was that if he wanted the canal put in repair, I would have to have the work done; I did get the canal put in repair by the 7th of May, the time it was advertised—opened the section.

Q. Were the other sections in repair? A. No, sir.

Q. By persisting in it you get your section opened on the day it was advertised? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long was it before the canal was opened that he spoke to you and asked you if you had not better go a little easier with them? A. We opened the 7th of May, and this was in April some time, while we were putting the canal in repair?

Q. I suppose you told him that you were requiring nothing but what the contract required? A. I did, sir.

Q. And that was the fact? A. It was, sir.

Q. You did not go beyond your contract? A. I did not?

Q. The other two sections you say were not ready? A. No, sir.

Q. Who had them as contractor? A. Well, I never saw the contract.

Q. I mean the real man who had it? A. It was Belden, Dennison & Co., I think.

Q. Had they both the others? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long before they got ready? A. I think before there was a boat locked on to my section from theirs, it was the twenty-first or twenty-second of May.

Q. Was there great complaint among the people because they were not in readiness? A. There was among the boatmen and forwarders.

Q. A great deal of clamor? A. Yes, sir, a great deal.

Q. Don't you know that in consequence of those sections not being ready as yours was, that great damage ensued to forwarders and boatmen? A. I think one of the firm of the Northern Transportation Line told me they were losing at the rate of \$1,000 or \$1,500 a day.

Q. In consequence of this delay? A. Yes, sir.

Q. There was a large amount of stuff that was ready to move when your section was ready, and before theirs was? A. Yes, sir.

Q. That ought to be moved? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know Mr. David Hobbie Potter? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where does he reside? A. At Schuylerville.

Q. Do you know of his making a bid for Section No. 4 upon that canal for the enlargement work? A. Yes, sir; he showed me a bid that he made.

Q. What was the bid for? A. I don't know the amount of the bid.

Q. What was the work that he bid for? A. Under the title of the law it was what was called "improvement work of the Champlain canal."

Q. That was enlargement work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What points was his work to cover; from Saratoga dam down to where? A. From there down to a little below Hemlock grocery.

Q. When was it that he showed you that? A. I think it was a year ago last fall; I don't remember the date.

Q. Where was the letting? A. In Albany.

Q. This was after he had prepared his papers to bid? A. Yes, sir; after they had been signed.

Q. And prepared ready to be delivered? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you examine them? A. I did.

Q. Were you accustomed to see bids? A. Yes, sir; I have been accustomed to see bids.

Q. Were the papers correct? A. I thought they were all correct.

Q. Were there any interlineations that were not noted? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you examine it carefully to see if the bid was correct? A. I did.

Q. Were you acquainted with the regulations of the Board that interlineations must be noted? A. I was.

Q. Did you have your mind upon that on looking at those papers? A. I did.

Q. Were there any such interlineations on those papers? A. No, sir.

Q. That you felt sure of? A. I examined them very closely; he fetched them into my office for that purpose; that is, he called me up into his room; his room was above my office.

Q. How long was it before the bidding that he showed you those papers? A. I think it was the day before the work was to be let?

Q. Was the work awarded to him? A. No, sir.

Q. Who was it awarded to? A. Willard Johnson was the man who had the work; whether it was awarded to him on his own bid or not I don't know.

Q. He got it himself or by assignment from somebody? A. Yes, sir.

Q. At a greater or less figure than Mr. Potter's bid? A. It was larger, sir.

Q. How much larger? A. I don't know, sir; I did not see the footing of the bid.

Q. Was it not known there how much greater his bid was? A. I suppose it was, sir, but I did not see the footing of the bids; the bids were taken into the engineer's office, and there footed up.

Q. Did Mr. Johnson tell you that his bid was lower than Mr.

Potter's? A. Mr Johnson told me that Mr. Potter's bid was the lowest, at dinner, at the Delavan House.

Q. What was the alleged reason that Mr. Potter did not get the work? A. I think they said his bid was informal.

Q. In what respect? A. Well, they said it was blotted.

Q. Was there any such blotting when you examined it? A. No, sir.

Q. That you are positive of? A. Yes, sir.

Q. If there were any such blotting or interlineation, it must have been since you had seen the papers the day before? A. It was not done when they passed out of my hands.

Q. Did you have any conversation with Mr. Johnson, in reference to the Vandekar bid for section three of the Champlain canal? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When was that? A. I think it was on the 29th of December.

Q. What was that conversation, and where was it? A. It was at Stanwix Hall, in this city.

Q. What was it? A. Mr. Johnson told me that they had found an error in his bid, and that when Mr. Commissioner Bruce got back from up the river, having gone to Poughkeepsie, they were going to have the resolution rescinded, awarding it to Vanderkar, and it would be declared to him on his bid.

Q. An error, or an informality? A. I won't be sure whether he said an error or an informality, or what it was.

Q. Did he say what the informality was? A. No, sir.

Q. You understood afterwards that Vanderkar's award was rescinded and Mr. Johnson had the work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. By an assignment from Briggs? A. I don't know as to that; I know Johnson claims the work.

Q. Mr. Johnson at that time claimed that he was entitled to the work on the 29th? A. Yes, sir; claimed that he should get the work.

Q. He made no remark to you about Briggs having any interest in it? A. Never mentioned anything about Briggs that I know of.

Q. Did you ever have any interest in any contract for repairs or otherwise on any of the canals of this State? A. No, sir.

Q. You acted simply as superintendent? A. I did.

Q. And thus far you endeavored to do your duty? A. I have.

Q. Do you know any other fact that would be important to this committee in reference to the management of the canals that I have

not inquired of; if so, under your oath state it? A. Well, I don't know that I do, that would be important to the committee that I could swear to myself.

Q. Or of benefit to the State? If you do, sir, it is your duty to state it as much as if you were particularly interrogated thereto.

A. I never was in the confidence of the "ring" of these contractors; I might have heard them talk a great deal about what they were doing, and about different things, where they bought up contracts, bought men out, but that I suppose, you can prove by those men.

Q. What is the nature of it? A. Mr. Potter is one of the men, I think, who sold out his contract to Mr. Johnson, Mr. Ephraim Owen is another.

Q. Who sold out their propositions at Stanwix Hall? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Upon any other point have you any information that would be of service to the State in reference to the management of the canals, or of any abuses that have been practiced by contractors or State officers? A. Well, no, sir; I could not swear positively to anything.

Q. Do you know of them from information? A. I have heard a great deal for the last three or four years.

Q. While you have been holding the office of Superintendent? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You have heard much talk and much complaint? A. Well, a good deal of complaint.

Q. Do you know Mr. Seeley's place, the last witness? A. Yes, sir.

Q. State what you know of your own knowledge, and what he has stated to you in reference to the widening of the canal at that point, and the way and manner in which it was done? A. Mr. Seeley went to work and took out the old dock and put in a new dock, part of stone and part of timber, and set it back from two to three and four feet in some places; built a dock along his store house and yard. I saw him when he was building it, and went and looked at it; I think the bottom of the canal is now fifty feet bottom from the slope wall to the dock. The season before when I was on the canal the engineer said there was no work to be done there under enlargement; that it was wide enough; he had examined it and measured it, and said it was wide enough, so I had the cleaning out done under repairs. Mr. Seeley told me that he had agreed to

give them \$100, and they set him to work and paid him for it—paid him his money back, less \$100; I don't know exactly how much, but I think \$900 or \$1,000; then he said the engineers came there and measured up the work for Mr. Johnson.

Q. As you understand it, Johnson got paid for the whole work under improvements? A. Yes, sir; I suppose so.

Q. How wide was the canal required to be by law? A. Thirty-five feet bottom.

Q. It was that before this improvement? A. Yes, and more too.

Q. It was widened to between 50 and 60 feet? A. Yes, sir; it is now 50 to 60 feet.

Q. You built this dock originally in 1857, and knew it was 35 feet wide there? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Wherein did Johnson make anything out of it? A. Well, I don't know, unless he made it by Mr. Seeley doing it \$100 less.

Q. And he got contract prices? A. Yes, sir; he paid Mr. Seeley within \$100 of what it cost him to do the work.

Q. And he got contract prices? A. Yes, I suppose he got contract prices. Perhaps as I have said this much, I had better go a little farther, to the dock up on the Hudson river. There is about half a mile of docking there and it is very much out of repair, and this season it was torn down some, and at the end of the dock at the Hudson river the dock fell into the river,—a dock I built some six or seven years ago. The contractor's agent ordered his men to go up there and put in a stone wall instead of the wooden one; he went up there, and he said he wanted seven cords of stone drawn, and he got it drawn and put the wall in. After it was put in the contractor's agent and the engineer went up there, and measured it up.

Q. Was not the contractor under, and by virtue of his repair contract required to build that work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And it was a fraud upon the State to that extent? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How much did it cost? A. I don't know, sir.

Q. In your judgment? A. Putting in this seven cord of stone and laying it in cement, I suppose from \$3.50 to \$4 a yard; I don't know what the contract price is, but I think perhaps it was worth \$4 a yard to put it in; seven cords of stone would be in the neighborhood of about twenty-seven yards.

Q. How much was estimated by the engineer? A. Not anything

that I know of; this work should have been done as a repair by the repair contractor.

Q. Whose division is this on? A. Mr. Johnson's, section one.

Q. What Canal Commissioner? A. Robert C. Dorn.

Q. What engineer's division? A. Jenne's.

Q. What sub-engineer had charge of this work? A. Printup.

Q. Was there anything estimated there for enlargement work?

A. No, sir.

Q. How do you understand that that was done, by which Mr. Johnson got paid for it as enlargement work and not do it under his contract for repairs as he should? A. Well, it was a change from wood to stone; they changed the material and then paid him for putting in the stone. If he had built it up with wood, he would have had to do it under his repair contract, but building it with stone was a change of plan.

Q. And, as you understand, the statute forbids any such change of plans by the engineer without authority from the Canal Board?

A. I do, sir.

Q. Which was not procured in this case, to your knowledge? A. Not to my knowledge.

Albert G. Sage, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Where do you reside? A. I reside at West Troy.

Q. Have you been engaged as a contractor on the canals of this State? A. I have sir.

Q. Where? A. The last contract was on the Glens Falls feeder.

Q. Any other? A. I have been engaged in company with Mr. Peck, of Schoharie, on creek dam, and I have been engaged in the repair contract, section No. 3 of the Eric canal some years ago.

Q. Were you a bidder for the Moseskill lock? A. I was sir.

Q. Was that awarded to you? A. It was.

Q. Who was connected with you in that work? A. Peck.

Q. Anybody else? A. Not in the bidding.

Q. Afterwards? A. Yes, sir; Dr. Dennison was connected with me after it was awarded.

Q. Was Mr. Belden also connected with you? A. Well, he was through Dennison; I had not talked with Mr. Belden.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Was Peck & Sage the firm, or Sage & Peck? A. Well, we have had contracts both ways; I forget which.

Q. You bid for this Moseskill lock at what figure? A. Well, I don't recollect now; it was above the engineer's estimate.

Q. About how much did it amount to? A. Well, it was somewhere in the vicinity of \$40,000, if I recollect right.

Q. Did others bid for it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did Mr. Dennison and Belden bid for it? A. Dennison bid for it; I don't remember whether Belden did or not.

Q. Were their bids lower than yours? A. Yes, sir; Dennison's was.

Q. Was there an arrangement made, and if so, what and when, in reference to your assigning part of it to Mr. Dennison? A. Well, perhaps I had better go into a history of it. At the letting of some work on the Chenango extension, I happened to be present, and I noticed they threw out some bids on some technicalities that attracted my attention, and I thought if they were going to be so technical as that, I would examine their papers at the next bidding, and I did so; I found on their printed notices they required a man's name not only to be written out but likewise his residence; and in the printed blanks, I saw that the residence had been left out either by mistake or intentionally; the blank usually reads: "I, ———," a blank for the man's name—residing in ———," a blank for the place of residence. I found no blank there left in these papers for the residence; I thought it would be a good point, and I put my residence in, and post office address, making it read, "residing in the town of Watervliet, post office address, West Troy," and when they came to open the bids, I found I was the only one who had conformed to their printed notices, and before the work was awarded I called Commissioner Bruce's attention to it, who was Chairman of the Board of Canal Commissioners, and he thought at first that a post office address or residence was not necessary; I asked him then to make that fact patent before the Board, as that was the very point upon which Mr. Peck was thrown out on the Chenango extension, and then he thought different; and it would result either in giving me all the work or letting the work over again, as I was the only legal bidder, according to their printed notices and the way they had held before. Well, I was fearful they would throw it all over, and I went to Dennison and told him there was a great deal of work

there I was entitled to, but more than I could manage, and if he would assist me he should have half the work; he agreed, and I succeeded only in getting two pieces of it; all the rest was relet.

Q. What pieces did you get? A. The Moseskill lock and the Glens Falls feeder.

Q. At your own prices? A. Yes, sir.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. All the rest was re-let? A. All the rest was re-let except what was let to me, the Glens Falls feeder and Moseskill lock.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. And that was precisely the ground on which your partner was thrown out of the Chenango extension? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And it was let at that time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. To whom was it let? A. To a man for Lord; I forget his name.

Q. Was Lord's bid for the work on the Chenango extension on which it was let larger than yours and Peck's bid? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How much larger? A. \$6,000 or \$8,000; on the three pieces that he would have, it would be larger than that; on one section it was \$6,000.

Q. On the three pieces that were let, how much would it be? A. Well, \$10,000 or \$15,000.

Q. How much was your bid on the Moseskill lock, higher than the one next to you? A. Than the one next below me?

Q. Yes. A. \$2,000 I think; \$2,000 or \$3,000.

Q. And on the Glens Falls feeder, how much? A. Only \$300 or \$400.

Q. And on the other work that was thrown over and relet? A. It was about the same; some of it more and some of it less; the prices of the bids were all published.

Q. After you had taken this work and let Dennison in, what did you do? Did you go to work? A. Dennison said he would run the work, and I told him to go ahead, and it run along I guess a month, and I got a line from Mr. Jenne saying the work must be started, and I got a bill of timber from him, and I sent the timber on. They did not start the work, and Mr. Jenne finally insisted upon my going up there, and I did go up and start the work. I finally sold it out to De Graw.

Q. Why did you do that? A. I thought he could manage it better than I could, and I could not very well stay there.

Q. Did Dennison consent to that sale? A. He did, sir.

Q. Did he request it? A. No, sir.

Q. Did he have any interest in De Graw's purchase? A. I have thought since, he had.

Q. What did you get for selling it out? A. I got paper—protested since.

Q. Whose paper? A. De Graw's paper, indorsed by Charley Case.

Q. How much were you to have? A. \$8,000 profit.

Q. Has that been paid? A. Not any of it, that I know of.

Q. Has it been sued? A. Yes, sir; the first note that became due has been sued.

Q. Judgment taken? A. We sued Mr. Case and Mr. De Graw, but the notice was served on Mr. Case first, and he left it to Mr. De Graw to answer, and it was held in abeyance until the suit was tried.

Q. Who put in any answer? A. They both did afterwards.

Q. What defense was put in? A. That there had been an illegal combination between Belden & Johnson, I don't know whether De Graw or not, but I think not, Peck, myself, Hausch, George Lord,—some six or eight mentioned.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. Who is your attorney in that suit? A. T. W. Jackson of our place, West Troy; he has got the papers.

Q. Was De Graw's answer sworn to? A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Any illegal combination in what? A. I don't know as I could give the words; any illegal combination among ourselves at the bidding to throw over these bids that were lower than mine and have the work awarded to me.

Q. And that therefore the whole thing was illegal? A. Yes, sir; that is the defense.

Q. And that cause stands at issue waiting for trial? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where did they allege the illegal combination was formed? A. I don't think they said.

Q. Where was the letting? A. It was here, at Albany.

Q. When did De Graw go on with the work? A. I commenced the work and he went right on with it; it was about the first of September.

Q. That work could have been better done and completed in the

summer and fall, than it could have been in the winter? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The lock would have been safer? A. When I took the work I had no idea that the Commissioner would insist upon its being completed in accordance with the terms of the contract; it is very seldom that they do; I supposed we should have the same as we had with Sherrill and Holbrook—an extra year to do it in; when it was insisted upon I was the more anxious to sell out; it is very difficult to do such work in so short a time.

Q. Was it before Dr. Dennison had any interest in it that they insisted upon your doing the work? A. Yes, and since; they insisted on it until it was awarded, of course.

Q. Did you know of that being done for the purpose of compelling you to sell out? A. I did not know that to be the fact, still I surmised that.

Q. Did you believe that? A. I did.

Q. Was that the reason you did sell out? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When was this letting? A. I got my contract I think the 27th of August.

Q. Has that work been completed yet? A. I think not; I think he is at work at it still.

Q. The embankment has been carried away, has it not? A. It is so reported in the papers.

Q. Have you any other work? A. I have work at Glens Falls, at the feeder.

Q. Who is in company with you on that? A. Mr. Peck.

Q. Did Dennison take an interest in that? A. Yes, sir; he sold out his interest to Johnson; Johnson wanted to buy my interest, but we could not agree upon the price and he said he would not have anything further to do with it.

Q. Dennison sold out to Johnson? A. Yes, sir; so Mr. Johnson told me.

Q. What was his interest? A. His interest was two-fifths at that time.

Q. You and Johnson then are doing the work together? A. No, Johnson has nothing to do with it.

Q. If he bought out Dennison, how is that? A. Because he refused to have anything to do with it, because he could not buy me out; he would not submit to have Mr. Peck run it, and Mr. Peck

was the only man who did take charge of it except when I was down there occasionally.

Q. So Peck and you are doing it yourselves, although you understand Johnson has an interest? A. Johnson has not an interest as I understand; he has waived his right by refusing to have anything to do with it.

Q. That work is not yet completed? A. No, sir.

Q. What was that work? A. It was enlarging and widening the feeder to conform with the size of the Champlain canal, building culverts, &c.

Q. Have you ever paid any money to any engineer or to any Canal Commissioner while you have been a contractor? A. No, sir.

Q. Has Mr. Peck, to your knowledge? A. No, sir.

Q. Made any presents directly or indirectly? A. No, not that I know of; he may have made some small presents; I don't recollect any.

Q. Any large ones? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you know of any other contractors making any presents or paying any money? A. I do not.

Q. To any engineer? A. No, sir.

Q. What engineer has charge of your work on the Glens Falls feeder? A. Mr. Jenne is the division engineer, and young Mr. Jenne stayed there and took charge of it until he was sent to Moseskill lock.

Q. Have you loaned any money to them? A. No, sir.

Q. Have they applied for any? A. No, sir.

Q. Were you in this combination that was made at Stanwix Hall, at the 28th of December letting? A. I did not bid for that; I was not here at all.

Q. Where do you say you reside? A. My post office address is West Troy; I reside at Watervliet.

The Committee adjourned until Wednesday, July 21, 1867, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ALBANY, N. Y., *July 31, 1867.*

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment, at 10 A. M.

Present—Senators STANFORD and GIBSON, and Mr. MITCHELL, Counsel to the Committee.

David H. Potter, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Senator GIBSON:

Q. State your residence? A. Schuylerville,

Q. Did you make an offer for work on the Champlain canal? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What was the work offered for? A. For the enlargement on sixteen mile level, enlargement section No. 4.

Q. Is that the proposal you made? [Handing paper to witness.]

A. Yes, sir. [Paper marked "No. 58."]

Q. Did you ever make but one proposal for that section? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you recognize this as your proposal? A. Yes, sir; that is my handwriting.

Q. By whom was the written part filled up? A. Daniel A. Bullard.

Q. Is that proposal in the condition it was when you enclosed it in the envelope and delivered it to the Contracting Board? A. I think not.

Q. Has it been altered since it was delivered, in any respect? A. Yes, sir.

Q. In what respect has it been altered? A. In the column of dollars under the head of "Snubbing Posts," the figure "0."

Q. What was it originally? A. That I cannot say now.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Have you got any copy of it? A. I think I have a copy in pencil mark at home.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. You don't know what it was originally? A. No, sir.

Q. It is not in the condition in which it was delivered? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you take any care in the preparation of this proposal? A. Yes, sir; after I examined it I sealed it up.

Q. Did you have it examined? A. Yes, sir.

Q. By whom? A. By Alanson Welch.

Q. For what purpose did you have him examine it? A. He being a canal man, to see whether it was all correct or not.

Q. In conformity to the rules? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did he say after he examined it? A. He said he could discover nothing.

Q. Did he examine it particularly? A. I called him up in my room for the purpose.

Q. What did you then do? A. I sealed it up and delivered it to the Contracting Board; it never was unsealed until it was unsealed by the Contracting Board.

Q. Do you understand that it was rejected on account of this? A. I received a line from the division engineer with my draft in it, saying it was thrown out on the erasure of a figure.

Q. And you observe no other erasure but this one? A. That is the only erasure I can discover.

Q. Do you know what the difference between this proposal is and the one that was accepted? A. About \$3,000; I did not figure it, but I make it about \$3,000 lower.

Q. Was your proposal made in good faith, with the intention of having it accepted? A. Yes, sir; I did not propose for any other work because this was right by me.

Q. And you made it with care in order to have it comply with the regulations? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Had you been informed of any informality or defect would you have corrected it on the request of the Contracting Board? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever make an offer for any other work? A. No, sir.
By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Who did you deliver this bid to? A. I passed it into the Board; it was not 12 o'clock; I took it from my pocket and delivered it in time.

Thomas W. Jackson, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL

Q. Where do you reside? A. West Troy, sir.

Q. Are you an attorney and counsellor of the Supreme Court? A. I am.

Q. Practicing there? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you brought a suit for Peck & Sage on any paper? A. I brought a suit for Albert G. Sage, of Watervliet, against Charles J. De Graw and Charles E. Case; I am one of the attorneys; the firm is Alexander & Jackson.

Q. A defense was interposed? A. Yes, sir; there are some three or four defenses; I think it is probably the third defense that you desire.

[Witness produces papers.]

Q. Is this paper that you have handed me the complaint served in the case of Albert G. Sage against Charles J. De Graw and Charles E. Case? A. A copy of the complaint.

Q. I will read: "Supreme Court, County of Albany. Albert G. Sage against Charles J. De Graw and Charles E. Case. The above named plaintiff complains of the above named defendants, and says that the defendant, Charles J. De Graw, heretofore made a promissory note in writing, dated at Fulton, the 17th day of September, 1866, whereby for value received he promised to pay to the order of the defendant, Charles E. Case, under the name and style of C. E. Case, the sum of \$1,600, two months after the date thereof, at the New York State National Bank at Albany, with use for value received, and delivered the same to the said defendant, Charles E. Case, and the said defendant, Charles E. Case, afterwards indorsed the said note in writing, the same was thereupon before it became due, value received, duly transferred to the plaintiff, who then became and still is the owner and holder thereof; that when said note became due it was duly presented to the New York State National Bank at Albany, the place where it was payable, for payment, payment thereof then and there duly demanded, which was refused;" and then comes an allegation of its being protested, and a prayer for judgment. This complaint is sworn to by Albert G. Sage, on the 29th day of November, 1866, before P. A. Rogers, Justice of the Peace, County of Albany. That, sir, is a copy of the complaint in this action? A. A copy of the complaint.

Q. And the original was duly sworn to? A. The original was duly sworn to, and is on file.

Q. Were the papers served on both defendants, Case and De Graw? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you take a judgment in the action? A. We took a judgment against one of them. The defendants were allowed to defend, but the judgment is held as security.

Q. You granted leave to the defendants to serve an answer, and the judgment to stand as security? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is the paper that I hold in my hand the amended answer served upon you by the defendants' attorney in this action? A. It is, sir.

Q. And does this amended answer purport to be sworn to by both DeGraw and Case on the 13th of May, 1867? A. It does, sir.

Q. Before a notary public? A. Before a notary public.

Q. Will you now read the third defense set up in that answer? A. "And these defendants, further answering the said complaint, and as a third defense to this action, allege that said plaintiff ought not to maintain said action, for that the said note in said complaint set forth and counted on, was executed in pursuance and in part consummation of the following corrupt and illegal contract, and that by reason thereof, and on the grounds of public policy, the said note was, and is illegal and void, to wit: in pursuance of the statutes in such case made and provided, the Canal Commissioners of the State of New York gave due notice that on the 29th day of August, 1866, at Albany, they would receive proposals for the construction of Lock No. 12, of the Champlain canal, according to plans and specifications accompanying such notice and referred to therein; that at the time and place in such notice mentioned, sundry proposals were made by divers persons and received by the said Canal Commissioners, among which was one by the defendant, Charles J. DeGraw, one by Willard Johnson, one by James J. Belden, one by Henry D. Dennison, one by John Hausch, and one by the said plaintiff; that the plaintiff's said proposal was at and for a price and prices much higher than either of the other proposals above mentioned, whereupon it was illegally and in contravention of public policy, corruptly agreed by and between the said James J. Belden, Henry D. Dennison, John Hausch, Willard Johnson, the plaintiff, and the defendant DeGraw, that the said Belden, Dennison, Johnson, Hausch, and the defendant DeGraw, should not insist upon their or either of their said proposals, but allow them to be rejected and thrown out for an alleged informality while in fact no material informality really existed, and that the contract for the construction of said lock shall be awarded to the plaintiff and owned by said plaintiff, Belden, Johnson, Dennison, Hausch and the defendant DeGraw, jointly, and that the plaintiff in behalf of himself and the said persons interested with him therein should thereupon assign said contract to the defendant DeGraw, and these defendants should pay to the other parties to

the said illegal agreement, to wit,—to the said James J. Belden, Henry D. Dennison, Willard Johnson, John Hausch, and the plaintiff the sum of \$8,000, that the said illegal agreement was consummated to this extent, to wit,—the said lower proposals were in pursuance thereof rejected and thrown out, and the contract for the construction of said lock was awarded to the said plaintiff and the contract assigned to the defendant De Graw, and five notes, of which the note counted on, in this action is one, were executed and delivered to secure the payment of the said \$8,000 purchase price aforesaid.”

Q. Does that case now stand at issue upon this answer awaiting trial? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The venue of which is in the county of Albany? A. Yes, sir; it stands in this shape—it is referred by an order entered, the order not naming the referee, the referee to be agreed upon by the attorney and myself; an order for the reference of the case has been entered.

Q. Mr. J. H. Townsend, of Fulton, Oswego county, is the defendants' attorney? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And you understand that the defendants, De Graw and Case, reside at Fulton, Oswego county? A. Fulton, Oswego county.

Q. Will you please to read the *jurat* to this answer? A. “State of New York, Oswego county, ss.: Charles J. De Graw and Charles E. Case, both of the village of Fulton in said county, being each duly sworn, do each for himself depose and say: that he is defendant in this action; that he has heard read the foregoing answer, and knows the contents thereof: that the same is true of deponent's own knowledge, except as to the matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to such matters deponent believes the same to be true. C. J. De Graw, C. E. Case. Sworn to May 13, 1867, before me, D. W. Gardner, N. P.”

Samuel N. Payn, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. Mitchell:

Q. Where do you reside? A. Albany is my residence, sir.

Q. Have you during your life been engaged a good deal in dredging? A. For the last thirty years, sir.

Q. Will you state where you have been engaged in that work somewhat? A. I have dredged the Albany basin at the commence-

ment of operations, the Hudson river, from Troy to New Baltimore, Bridgeport harbor, Newark bay, James and Appomattox rivers in Virginia.

Q. Have you dredged this Albany basin more than once? A. Twice, sir; I have done a great deal of dredging other than the two regular contracts I had of the basin.

Q. Then you are entirely familiar with the cost and expense of that class of work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You also are familiar entirely with the cost and expense of removing mud and dirt from the Albany basin? A. Yes, sir; I am a constructor of dredging machines.

Q. Do you know of the dredging that Mr. Thomas Gale and Belden & Co. are doing now in the Albany basin? A. Yes, sir; I have seen some of their operations.

Q. They are now at work, are they not? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is it worth per yard, measured in the dumping boats, to move that mud or dirt out of the Albany basin, and take it down the river from three to four miles and deposit it at the present rate of prices? A. I bid for that work or made out a bid for it; I did not put the bid in; the price was thirty-five cents.

Q. Do you think that that is all it is worth to do it? A. It would be a profitable contract at that.

Q. Can there be any pretext whatever that it is worth seventy cents a yard? A. None but accommodation.

Q. No pretext that is worth any such sum? A. No, sir.

Q. You would regard that as an outrageous price and a swindle upon the State? A. Well, I thought so at the time, sir, and I think so now.

Q. Would you be willing to assume that contract that Mr. Gale and Belden & Co have, and do the work of removing the mud down to the mitre-sill of the lock of that basin, and keep out all that shall drift in for five years at thirty-five cents a yard? A. I would undertake to do it.

Q. And give good security to the State to do it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you now stand ready to give good security and do that work at that figure? A. That I cannot tell now, sir, for I don't know what progress they have made.

Q. As the work was at the time of the bidding you would? A. I would, sir.

Q. You think you would the balance of the contract, now? A. I think I would, sir.

Q. Now, when this letting of the Albany basin was had on the 28th of last December, did you prepare a bid with the intention of putting it in to the Contracting Board? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What was your bid for? A. For the excavation of the deposit in the Albany Basin only, not for charge of the section.

Q. At what price did you put in your bid? A. Thirty-five cents, sir.

Q. Then you at the time examined to see what the terms of the contract were, and the specifications and made your bid in pursuance of that at thirty-five cents? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Now, sir: why did you not put that bid in? A. Well, sir; I felt that it was futile, because of the combination.

Q. Why did you feel that it was futile? A. Well, the mode of advertising for the work, the plan of bringing the work before the contractor was of that character that it left it entirely optional with the parties to do with the contractor as they please; I thought at the time or I knew at the time that it was purposely so drawn that a contractor who meant to do honestly and fairly could not bid for the work.

Q. Well, sir, what about a combination? A. Well, sir, that was the combination; the notice was of such a character, so many requirements were thrown in that were entirely unnecessary, that would in one case be enforced, and in the other not enforced, that it would be optional with the parties holding power over the contractor to do as they pleased; they might make him move the material ten miles down the river if they pleased.

Q. You were not in the "ring"? A. No, sir, I was not in the "ring."

Q. And you believed, not being in favor, that it would be more dangerous for you to bid than certain other parties? A. Well, I considered it entirely unsafe to make the bid under the circumstances, after making the bid out carefully and elaborately.

Q. Do you know where the contractors deposit this mud? A. No, sir, I do not, now.

Q. At the early part of the contract where did they deposit the material? A. About half a mile from the basin, right opposite the city, the lower part of Greenbush.

Q. Did you have anything to do with this combination of the contractors on the 28th, at Stanwix Hall? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you go into their room? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you know at the time it was going on? A. I knew from outside hearsay that it was going on, but where they met I did not know.

Q. You were not invited in? A. No, sir.

Q. When did you hear of it? A. Well, I heard of it immediately previous to the letting—some few days previous to the letting.

Q. You heard of it before the bids were put in? A. Just previous.

Q. But what house or room they met in you did not know? A. No, sir.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. How public was the fact that there was a combination? A. Well, that I cannot say, sir.

Q. Did you hear it spoken of publicly? A. I heard it spoken of every time I came into the city—every time I had any conversation with any of them at the hotels.

Q. For how long? A. I can't say; some time before the conviction was made on my mind of the fact.

Q. Some few days before? A. Yes, sir; I did not charge my mind particularly with the fact.

Adjourned to Thursday, August 1st, 1867, at 10 o'clock A. M.

ALBANY, N. Y., *August 1, 1867.*

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A. M.

• Present—Senators STANFORD and GIBSON, and Mr. MITCHELL Counsel to the Committee.

Armariah Holbrook, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Sandy Hill.

Q. Have you been accustomed to bid for work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Well acquainted with the details of making proposals? A. Well, I suppose I am, sir.

Q. How long have you been? A. Well, I was a bidder for the first section of the Erie canal here, the first time it was let; I think that was in 1843, but I am not positive.

Q. Did you ever make a bid for Section No. 2 on the Champlain canal? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When? A. It must have been in the year 1864—September; it was a three year contract, and expires the last of next December.

Q. A repair contract? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where was this bid put in? A. In this city, at the Comptroller's office.

Q. To the Contracting Board here? A. Yes, sir.

Q. At what price did you bid? A. My bid was \$19,800 I think; somewhere in that neighborhood.

Q. Was your bid correct in every respect? A. Yes, sir, in every respect.

Q. Did you put a stamp on? A. Yes, sir, all the stamps on.

Q. Properly stamped? A. Properly stamped and canceled.

Q. It was in every respect a perfect bid, when you delivered it to the Board? A. Yes, sir; and when it was opened; I was present when it was opened.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. Did you see it afterwards? A. I never saw it afterwards.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Did you get the work? A. No, sir.

Q. Were you the lowest bidder? A. I was not the lowest bidder.

Q. What occurred as struck you as being wrong? A. I sat by the Board when the bids were opened; there were two bids lower than mine, but as I understood in relation to those bids, they were wrong, they were not perfect bids, either of them; they did not declare the bids off that day, they declared them off the next Tuesday I think; this was on Saturday; I was building a lock at Fort Edward at that time, my foreman was taken sick and I had to take his place, and I could not come down and the bid was declared off to Harvey Church.

Q. Was he higher than you? A. He was lower than I was, I think \$400.

Q. What was there wrong about that? A. I think his bid, according to their requirements, was an imperfect bid.

Q. Why? A. It was not properly made out.

Q. In what respect? A. Well, I can't tell you now; if his bid was here I could explain it to you; the Board were very exacting in their requirements; they won't allow any filling up, interlineations or anything of that kind; it must be perfect when presented.
By Senator GIBSON.

Q. What season of the year was it? A. I think it was in September; I am not positive about it; it was in the fall.

Q. As I understand, it was subsequently ascertained that your stamp was torn off? A. I mandamused the Board; I thought the matter was foul.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Issued a mandamus to compel them to award the contract to you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What occurred? A. On that occasion I sent Mr. Paris down with Mr. Cochrane, who was a partner of mine, and they examined my bonds and found the stamps were taken from my bonds.

Q. Was that before or after you obtained the mandamus? A. It was before; I sent Mr. Paris down to ascertain; then it was brought before Judge Potter, of Schenectady; argued there; I did not get any decision; it ran along about three or four months, and I withdrew the mandamus.

Q. Did not you yourself look at the papers? A. I was very busy, and did not come down; Mr. Cochrane came on, and Mr. Paris, who was my attorney in the matter.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Why did you withdraw it? A. I had been three or four months waiting for a decision and did not get any, and I thought I had better quit; it was using my money all the while.

Q. Did they offer you any inducement to withdraw? A. No, sir.

Q. Any parties? A. No, sir.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Did you consent to having these stamps torn off your bond? A. No, sir; I never knew it until Mr. Paris came down with Mr. Cochrane, and I came down afterwards and enquired how they came off; Mr. Forrest was clerk, and he said sometimes they would

come off themselves, and I was not able to get my bid at that time to examine my stamps.

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. Why did you not get it? A. I could not.

Q. Did you ask for it? A. I asked Mr. Forrest.

Q. What did he say? A. I think he said they were locked up, and I could not examine them without the consent of the Canal Commissioners, or something of that kind.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. He informed you that it was not proper for him to show them to you without the consent of the Canal Commissioners? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And he refused to show them to you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where was this? A. In the Canal Commissioners' office.

Q. And where were the bonds? A. In the same office I suppose. There was a ten dollar stamp put on that bid, and I was informed that it was not required, and it was canceled, I could get my money by sending it back to the Government; I had not this stamp on when I brought it down here, and Mr. Jenne said there was an argument at the Board as to whether this fifty cent stamp was required for every \$1,000 bid; it was just at the time the stamp act came out; I went down to Senator Harris' office and told him my condition, and he took down the act and said, "Your bid is not worth a farthing unless you have that ten dollar stamp on;" I was not satisfied with that, so I went round to Mr. Caldwell, who is a particular friend of mine, and he told me the same thing; I then went down to the Auditor's office and put the stamp on, and canceled it at Mr. McGourkey's desk; my bid I think was \$19,800; I said to him, "I am inclined to reduce my bid somewhat;" he said, "I will do it for you;" I said, "I find I am required to put this stamp on," and I did so; I put the stamp on and canceled it; before I put it on I went to Mr. Skinner, Canal Commissioner, and told him what counsel I had taken in the matter, and he said "that is right;" he said, "I don't know what is required in the matter any more than you do, but you have counselled with these men; you had better do so."

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. You never have been able to get that stamp or those papers?

A. No, sir.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. In this mandamus matter, did they set up that your bid was informal, that this stamp was off? A. No, sir; I forget the gentleman's name who came up there to defend—

By Senator GIBSON.

Q. Was it Hammond? A. Yes, Hammond; I forget the defense he did make, but I know this very well, that he contended that I was right in the matter all the while, although he defended it.

Q. Did you make that bid in good faith intending to do the work specified in the notices issued by the Commissioners? A. I did, sir; I did not know any way to escape it, either.

Q. Did those notices require certain new lock gates to be put in? A. Yes, sir; I made up my bid from conversation with Mr. Benjamin Ferris, a very prudent man, who had been a superintendent on the canal, as I had been myself, and knew what those things cost.

Q. Were the persons who got the contract required, and did they put in those lock gates as required by the notices? A. Not that I ever knew of.

Q. Have you any knowledge that they put in new lock gates at all? A. I don't think that I have any knowledge that they put in new lock gates; I have a knowledge that they repaired some.

Q. Would you have a knowledge if they had put in new lock gates? A. I might possibly have not known although I am living on that section, but I would probably have known it; there might have been two or three new lock gates put in.

Q. But not any to any extent? A. Oh! no.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Did they perform the contract as required by the notices? A. Not as I understand it—what would be required of me.

Q. Who finally became the owners of that contract? A. Dennison and Belden.

Q. Who did they sell it to? A. Willard Johnson.

Q. He has it now? A. He has it now.

Q. [Handing paper to witness.] Is this the bond that was made to your proposal in 1864, that you have spoken of? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you see, now, where the \$10 stamp was, that you put on? A. I do, sir.

Q. Will you put your finger upon it?

[Witness points to the spot upon the bond where the stamp was put.]

Q. Is it there now? A. No, sir.

Q. Can you see evidences of its having been there now upon the paper? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Does it appear to have been torn off? A. Yes, sir, or taken off.

Q. And is it plain to be seen that there was a stamp there, upon looking at the paper? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Now, sir, when you put this bond in, are you sure that the \$10 stamp was at the point where you put your finger? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And well sealed on? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And canceled? A. And canceled.

Q. Who took it off you do not know? A. No, sir.

Q. Who was clerk of the Board at that time? A. David Forrest.

Q. Is this the bond that you asked him to let you see, afterwards? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you ever seen it since you put it in, until it is now shown to you? A. No, sir.

[Paper marked "No. 59."]

Q. [Showing witness another paper.] This contract that you bid on, section No. 2, was awarded to Harvey Church? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The contract that you bid on was for the letting in September, 1864? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And it appears from the papers taken from the file, that I now hold, that that contract was assigned by Church on the 14th day of March to Charles B. Scott, of Syracuse? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And it also appears from the record that on the 18th day of March, 1865, said Scott appointed Henry D. Dennison, of Syracuse, by written power of attorney, to take charge of the section? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And that power of attorney is witnessed by H. C. Southwick, Jr., who is a clerk in the Auditor's Department? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And that consent on the 22d day of March, was given to that assignment by Skinner and Alberger? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And that James J. Belden and Frank Hiscock were the bail for Scott? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Both for the laborers' wages and to carry out the contract? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you ever known Scott to be there? A. Never.

Q. You live upon the section? A. Yes, sir; I never heard of him before.

Q. You never heard of him until now? A. No, sir.

Q. Who has it been understood that the section was carried on by? A. Dennison and Belden.

Q. As the real parties? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And although you live upon the section you never saw nor heard of Scott until this moment? A. I never knew there was any such man in the contract, or having anything to do with it.

[Paper marked "No. 60."]

Charles J. De Graw, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Did you ever see Mr. Charles E. Case borrow any money of Commissioner Dorn? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you ever see him pay any to the Auditor? A. No, sir.

Q. Have you so stated to any one? A. No, sir; never.

Q. Were you sued, together with Case upon a note that you gave for the purchase of the Moseskill lock contract? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you put in a defense to it? A. Yes, sir; I have.

Q. Who is your attorney? A. J. H. Townsend.

Q. Did you swear to your answer? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Before Mr. D. W. Gardner, as Notary Public? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did that answer set forth the truth? A. Why, yes, sir; I think it did; I meant to tell the truth.

Q. Did you set up as one defense to that note, that that paper was void because of an illegal conspiracy that was formed between yourself, Belden and others, to bid for that work, by which other bids were to be thrown out? A. No, sir; I don't think I did; my recollection is now that I thought the award was obtained by unfair means; that is my recollection of it now, sir.

Q. Well, whatever that answer was, was it true? A. Well, yes, I think it was.

Q. You swore to it and knew what it was? A. Yes, sir; I read it over hurriedly at the time.

Q. You knew its contents? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And made your affidavit to it in good faith? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see Case swear to it? A. No, sir; I did not; I was alone at the time; I was going away on the train, and Mr. Townsend read it to me.

Q. And you swore to it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is that suit pending? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have the other notes been sued? A. No, sir; I think only one of them has been sued.

Q. The others have not been sued? A. No, sir; my first defense on that was I apprehended the real fact of the case; that is what is now the real fact after amending our papers; I wanted time to see how the thing was coming out on the lock, and that was as I understood it at the time; I think Dennison's was the lowest bid, and I the next lowest, and it was jumped from \$31,000 or \$32,000 up to \$48,000.

Q. Which was Sage's bid? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And your bid was lower than Sage's? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What was the trouble with your bid that you did not get it? A. I understood it was as to my residence or post-office address; I had neglected to put in my residence.

Q. You put down Fulton as your post-office address? A. Yes, sir.

Q. But did not put it down as a residence separate? A. No, sir; that is what I understood.

Q. Did you also understand that Dennison's bid was in the same fix? A. Yes, sir; all but Sage's, I understood.

Q. Do you expect to try that cause? A. Yes, sir.

Q. It stands referred, now? A. Yes, sir, I suppose it is referred by this time; Mr. Townsend, when I was last home, told me they had about agreed upon a referee.

Q. Who was the committee that took your evidence for your claim of lost timber? A. The State Engineer Goodsell, and the Lieutenant-Governor, Mr. Alvord.

Q. And Bruce, the Commissioner in charge? A. Yes, that was the committee, but I don't remember whether Mr. Bruce was there or not; my impression is that he was not; Gere, the Division Engineer, was there too.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. He was not one of the committee? A. No, he was not on the committee; I met them all on the train, and they went together; I don't recollect that he had anything to do with it; I don't know that he said a word.

The Committee adjourned until Thursday, August 8, 1867, at 3 P. M.

ALBANY, N. Y., *August 8, 1867.*

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment at 3 P. M.

Present—Senator STANFORD and Mr. MITCHELL, Counsel to the Committee.

FRED. J. WARBURTON appeared as Stenographer.

Linus Jones Peck, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. I live in Albion, Orleans county; I am just moving there.

Q. Where have you been residing? A. In Orleans county.

Q. Have you ever had work on the State canals? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When? A. The last work I did, I finished in 1861.

Q. Where was that work? A. It was building the big embankment under the canal at Holley, in Orleans county?

Q. Did you get your final account made up? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And closed the work? A. I got the final account in August, 1862.

Q. Did you receive your pay from the State? A. Yes, sir, very soon after.

Q. Was there fifteen per cent. kept back? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Explain how that is kept back? A. Well, it is kept back every month; after ascertaining the amount of work done by the contractor, or the amount due to him, they deduct fifteen per cent., and keep that, pay him eighty-five per cent. ●

Q. What is the object of keeping that back? A. I suppose as security for the performance of the contract, as additional security.

Q. When you got through and closed up, you got your fifteen per cent.; that was paid over to you? A. Yes, sir, that was included in the final account.

Q. And they paid it up soon after? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you claim of the Auditor interest upon that fifteen per cent? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When did you first make that claim? A. Within two or three months after I received my final account.

Q. What did you say to the Auditor, in substance? A. I told him I wanted interest on my fifteen per cent.

Q. What did he say? A. He said there was no law authorizing the payment of interest, that he never had paid any interest on the fifteen per cent., and never would, unless he was compelled by a specific law to that effect.

Q. What further did he say? A. He said the contractors were not entitled to anything, that they had not ought to have anything on the fifteen per cent.

Q. Did he say whether it was just or unjust to ask it? A. Yes, he said it was iniquitous, or something of that kind, to ask it, or wrong; the idea was, that it was hoggish in them to claim it.

Q. Did you ever speak to him after that? A. Yes, sir, repeatedly, up to the fall of 1866.

Q. Every year, did you? A. Every year. Well, I was here about twice a year, and every time I came I pitched into him; I heard of other contractors getting the interest on their fifteen per cent.; I did not know of any particular case where a man got it, but I heard that they were paying it, and I heard he was paying it under the law passed in 1857, and I called the Auditor's attention to that law; he said he never had paid a dollar under it, and he never would.

Q. You continued to speak to him about it, down to what time? A. The fall of 1865.

Q. Then you gave it up? A. That is the last time I had any talk with the Auditor.

Q. And he took the same ground every time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What next occurred in the order of events? A. In January, 1866, a Mr. Hopkins of Little Falls, came to me, showed me a long list of contractors who had given him a power of attorney to collect interest on unpaid drafts, and wanted me to give him my power of attorney.

Q. What share was he to receive? A. He was to receive, if he succeeded, one-half of what he got.

Q. That was the condition of all the others he showed you? A. Yes; If he got nothing he was to receive nothing.

Q. What did you tell him? A. I told him \$200 or \$300, I thought was due me for interest on unpaid drafts, and I had rather give him one-half, if he would get me the other half, than undertake to get it myself. I also told him that the Auditor had always told me that no interest would be paid on the 15 per cent.; I don't know that I asked him whether he could collect interest on the 15 per

cent.; I don't know whether I asked him that question directly or not; we talked about it, but he did not propose to me to get any interest on the 15 per cent., but only on unpaid drafts.

Q. Did you give him a power? A. I gave him a power of attorney which authorized him to receive interest on unpaid drafts, and also any other sums of interest that might be found due to me, and he to have half.

Q. How long before you heard from him? A. I think about twenty days.

A. In what shape did you hear it? A. I received a letter containing a statement of the various sums of interest received on different contracts, together with a check on Fort Stanwix Bank for my half.

Q. Have you got that statement? A. Yes.

[Witness produces paper.]

Q. Is that the statement? A. That is the statement I received from him.

Q. Please read the statement? A. "Little Falls, January 30th, 1866. Linus Jones Peck, Esq., assignee of George W. Peck, dear sir: Enclosed please find my check for \$2,947.92, for interest by virtue of power of attorney and in accordance with our agreement. The account stands thus:

Interest on fifteen per cent.,.....	\$5,359 18
Interest on drafts,.....	267 66
Interest on drafts, Orson Tousley,.....	269 01
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	\$5,895 85
Less one-half,.....	2,947 93
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	<u>\$2,947 92</u>

Yours, truly,

E. W. HOPKINS."

Q. You received his check for the one-half and drew the money on it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you afterwards see Mr. Hopkins? A. I did, about a month after I received this.

Q. Did you have a conversation with him? A. I did.

Q. State it, or the substance of it.

A. I told him that he and the Auditor had deceived me, and I wanted him to pay back a portion of his half to me, I thought he

ought to pay back; he declined in words that I cannot repeat; I told him that I had started to go down to Albany and see if I could not ventilate the matter a little in the Legislature; he said some time in the conversation that he did not make as much out of this as I supposed he did, it cost him one-half of his half to get it. That is about the whole of the conversation that relates to this matter; I rode with him thirty or forty miles out in the cars, and we talked a good deal.

Q. Did you tell him wherein they deceived you? A. Yes; I told him the Auditor made me believe I never could get any interest on the fifteen per cent., and I was willing to give half the sum due on the unpaid drafts for the other half, and I would rather do it than try and get it paid myself, but I never would have given him a power of attorney if I supposed he could get the interest on the fifteen per cent.

Q. But you had been made to believe by the Auditor that you never could? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And you believed that? A. Yes, I believed I never could unless there was a special law passed by the Legislature.

Q. There was no special law passed? A. No, sir.

Q. There is a little over \$500 interest here on the drafts? A. Yes, sir, about \$530; that is more than I supposed it was, a good deal. I have another letter, too, which refers to that [produces paper.] Here is a letter dated 12th of January.

Q. Will you read that letter?

A.

"LITTLE FALLS, *January 12, 1866.*

LINUS JONES PECK, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—In looking into your concern I find a look for interest in a quarter that I did not expect, and under another law. I send you two Treasurer's receipts in blank to sign, which please sign and send to me by early mail. I am hard at work. Direct here. This may amount to nothing, if not I will return the receipts to you. If it does, will do the same as in the other arrangement.

Yours truly,

E. W. HOPKINS."

Q. Did you sign those receipts in blank and send them to him?

A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then you got his check and the other letter that we have read before? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever have any talk with the Auditor since about paying that? A. No, sir; I have never seen him since.

Q. Will you state what the power of attorney that you gave him contained in regard to what interest he should collect? A. He did not say anything about interest on the 15 per cent. in talking with me. The power of attorney authorized him to collect interest on any unpaid drafts that might be due to me, or any other sums of interest which might be found due, on account of work done on the canal; I think that was it.

Q. Then he was to have half by the same paper? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And under that clause he claimed one-half of the interest on the 15 per cent.? A. Yes.

Q. Is there anything else that would be of advantage to the State as to the management of the canals, or any fraud you have known of, or of any officers having received any money? A. No sir; I might say that about six weeks ago I had a talk with Commissioner Alberger about the payment of this interest; we were talking about that subject and he said he paid in the neighborhood of about \$50,000 the early part of last year, 1866.

Q. That was on his division alone? A. Yes; he said on his division alone; my recollection of his words is, that he paid about \$50,000 in drafts for this interest.

Q. What did he say as to the justice or injustice of the thing? A. Well, he denounced it as a great fraud upon the contractors.

Q. What was? A. This obtaining of this power of attorney; I told him how the Auditor had spoken to me.

Q. He denounced the way it was paid as a great fraud upon the contractors—procuring these powers of attorney? A. Yes; Mr. Hopkins had a list of 20 or 30 names of persons who had given him a power of attorney before he came to me.

Q. Was this power of attorney that you gave similar to the one he showed you, signed by a large number of persons? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And did that power he showed you contain a clause giving him (Mr. Hopkins) one-half for collecting? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And that was signed by a large number of contractors? A. Yes, sir; I think one power had 10 or 15 names to it, and he had several others.

Q. Some of them were gentlemen you knew? A. Yes, sir; I knew nearly all of them; they were doing work for the State about the time I was.

Q. And you have had conversation with them since in which they told you they paid Hopkins one-half? A. Yes, sir; my neighbor, Mr. McCarthy, received \$700, being one-half of his interest, by the same mail I did; he gave him a power of attorney the same day I did; Mr. Hopkins asked me if I knew of any others who had interest due them and I gave him some names, McCarthy among others; McCarthy did not think he could get interest on the 15 per cent., only on the unpaid drafts.

Q. You spoke of coming down here to ventilate that thing a little, in the Legislature? A. Yes, and I came down with that intention, but I was met here by Charley Danolds, Peterson and other contractors whom I can't name, who said I must not do it.

Q. Why? A. Well, they said it would interfere with their matters, it would injure them more than it would do me good; if I wanted them to make any money out of it I had better let them alone.

Q. And so you did? A. And so I did.

Ira Mirick, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Lyons, Wayne county, New York.

Q. Have you been in former times engaged on the canal in doing work for the State? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And your son also? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is his name? A. Andrew J.

Q. Did you have drafts against the State for enlargement work? A. Yes, sir.

Q. At the time the State suspended. A. Yes, sir.

Q. And you have received divers sums of interest money, have you not? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you got any statement of it here? A. There is a copy they made me at the time I was here. [Producing paper.]

Q. They had paid you pretty much what you supposed was due you for interest? A. I was aware there was a little more, but I could not tell how much exactly.

Q. About how much? A. I could not form any particular idea.

Q. Was it \$100? A. I could not tell; I was aware there was a little coming to me, how much I did not know; at the time we received these drafts we did not know anything about getting any

interest, consequently we were not very particular in keeping memorandums.

Q. Did any person come to you at any time to make a bargain with you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who was it? A. I was sent for at the hotel at Lyons; the name was E. W. Hopkins; I never had seen him before.

Q. Have you got a letter there of his? A. Yes, sir.

[Witness produces another paper.]

Q. When did he come there to your place? A. Well, sir, I should think two or three or four months earlier than that letter; I have got no memorandum to know precisely.

Q. He must must have been there along in January? A. Yes, sir; I was at Albany in January.

Q. You saw him at the hotel in Lyons? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What was said between you? A. I went into his room; he suggested, "You have been a contractor, you have had a good many of these State drafts;" I told him yes; "and probably you are aware that there may be some interest due you;" I told him I thought there was a little, how much I did not know.

Q. You had had considerable interest paid you before? A. Yes, sir; I had collected a good deal of interest; I can't tell how much precisely.

Q. You have not got a statement? A. All of those articles on that paper [first paper produced] was interest I had received.

Q. What was said between you and Hopkins? A. Mr. Hopkins proposed to look over and get what back interest was due me; I asked him how much there was; he did not know, he said; then I asked him on what considerations he would do it; he said he would do it for half; I said, "can't you do it for less? it appears to me that is a big per centage;" he said no, he would not undertake it less than that; we had some other little conversation.

Q. Did he say whether you could get it or not? A. He said he thought it would be difficult for me to get it; he said he had got Mr. Wood's, Mr. Ennis's; he mentioned a good many names that were contractors at the same time I was on the enlargement that I was acquainted with; well, we closed up by saying that he should hear from me, and I would see my son and see what he said.

Q. He wanted both yours and your son's? A. Yes sir.

Q. You parted upon that? A. Yes sir.

Q. What then did you do? A. I then came to Albany.

Q. Did you see your son before you came? A. I did.

Q. And came down here? A. Came down here with his power of attorney to collect his interest if any, and interest due me.

Q. Where did you go? A. To the Auditor's office.

Q. Who did you find there? A. Mr. Benton.

Q. Did you tell him your business? A. Yes sir.

Q. Did his clerks look with you to find out? A. They looked and made me that statement.

Q. Made you a statement showing how your interest account stood? A. Yes sir.

(Paper marked No. 60).

Q. They gave you this statement which contains a detailed statement of the different amounts? A. Yes sir, and whom paid to and interest.

Q. Purporting to go through the whole of it? A. Yes sir; that was what they purported; they gave that to Mr. Vanderburgh; he called after I left for home and get from them that statement and sent it to me.

Q. How much interest did they make out was due you? A. Well the amounts on these not paid were the amounts that were due me.

Q. How much did it amount to about? A. I think somewhere near \$25.

Q. Did they pay you that that day? A. It strikes me they did pay me that day.

Q. Did the Auditor say anything to you after you ascertained how much was due? A. He said to me "that would hardly pay you for coming down here." I replied to him that I did not come on purpose, that I was accidentally here and thought I would call and get what was my due.

Q. This statement includes the drafts of both yourself and son? A. I believe it does.

Q. And you searched both your son's account and your own the day you were here? A. I got the first clerk to search it.

Q. Both accounts were searched and the \$25 was what purported to be due both you and your son? A. That was what they represented to me.

Q. And that was what they paid you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You returned home, did you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did you next do? A. I then wrote to Mr. Hopkins,

saying that if he would send me a blank power of attorney, filled up, I would execute it, and have my son execute one and send to him, and we did so.

Q. Did he write you an answer? A. That is the answer I have given you.

Q. On writing to him you received this letter? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Does this letter read as follows?

“LITTLE FALLS, *March 8, 1866.*

IRA MIRICK, Esq.:

DEAR SIR—Yours of the 5th is at hand and contents noted, also enclosed power of attorney from your son And. J. Mirick. If you either have any interest, I regret not having your concern before, as you would have had the money by this time; I fear the funds are gone; if so, it will require appropriation; in any event, it is going to take time. I will take hold and do the best I can. I enclose a power of attorney for you; send as early as convenient.

Yours truly,

E. W. HOPKINS.”

Q. That is the letter you received? A. That is the letter I received.

Q. On receiving it, did you send power of attorney for yourself and son? A. I sent the power of attorney for my son in the letter to which that is an answer, and then sent the power of attorney for myself after receiving that.

Q. And in both powers of attorney it was agreed that he should receive one half? A. I don't know whether that was in the power; it was a matter of agreement between us.

Q. You can't state certainly whether it was or not? A. I can't remember distinctly.

Q. What was the next you heard after sending those two powers? A. The next was I received a couple of checks, one for my son and one for myself, for what he represented as our half.

Q. How much was your check? A. I think it was \$250 or \$260—somewhere along there.

Q. How much was your son's? A. I think over \$300; I think it was in the vicinity of \$600 or \$630 or \$640 altogether.

Q. On those checks you and your son got the money? A. Yes, sir; those checks were on Fort Stanwix Bank, Rome.

Q. That is all you know about it? A. That is all I know about that transaction.

Q. Whether this was interest entered in your fifteen per cent you don't know? A. I don't know; I wrote him to ask him to give me a statement of what he received the interest on, but he never answered it.

Q. You have a neighbor by the name of Ennis? A. Yes, George Ennis.

Q. Was he a contractor on the enlargement? A. Yes.

Q. He held drafts did he? A. Yes.

Q. Did he come down here? A. His brother came.

Q. To examine his interest account? A. Yes.

Q. Before or after you came down? A. Before.

Q. How long before? A. I should think two or three weeks.

Q. How much did he get when he came down? A. I don't know that he got any—trifling, if any.

Q. Did he, after failing to get any interest himself, employ Hopkins? A. His brother did—George.

Q. He gave Hopkins a power of attorney as you did? A. The same kind of power exactly.

Q. How much did Ennis get for his share through Hopkins? A. If my memory serves me right he told me between \$600 and \$700.

Q. That he told you about the time? A. About the time.

Q. Where is William Ennis now; the one who came down here and examined? A. He is out of the State.

The Committee adjourned to Friday, August 9, 1867, at 10 A. M.

ALBANY, N. Y., *August 9th*, 1867.

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A. M.

Present, Senators STANFORD and GIBSON, and Mr. MITCHELL, counsel to the Committee.

Ebenezer Kingsley, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Town of Hume, Allegany county.

Q. Do you know Peter Dunn? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you bid for some work at any time that he was interested in with you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When was that? A. Well, I think it was in 1863 or 1864, I am not certain which; I could tell if I was home.

Q. What was the work you bid for? A. It was repair section No. 2, on the Genesee Valley canal.

Q. The bid was made in your name? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where was these bids opened? A. Buffalo.

Q. Who of the State officers were present? A. Well, I was not at the letting; Dunn went to the letting.

Q. Dunn went up there and put in the bid in your name? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And your sureties were Peter Dunn and Levi Truesdale? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What day of the week was that bid put in? A. Friday, I think.

Q. Where does Dunn live? A. He lives in the town of Genesee Falls, a little distance from me, but another town, about four miles apart.

Q. Where does Levi Truesdale live? A. At Genesee Falls; that is the name of the town.

Q. When did you first hear that you were the lowest bidder? A. Saturday; this was Friday. The letting was Saturday; I was employed on the canal seeing to it.

Q. Who told you of it? A. George Lord.

Q. Where? A. In the town of Hume, I had been to Caneadea, and was on my way back and met him.

Q. What time on Saturday did you meet him? A. Well, it was dark; I think it was Saturday evening; it might be Friday.

Q. What did he say to you? A. He said "I want to see you," and we drove along down, perhaps half a mile, down to the little village of Fillmore.

Q. Were you alone? A. I was alone, and he was in a buggy with another man named Charley Spencer. He told me to stop at the hotel on the hill, and I told him I would, and I drove up there and he drove up and put his horse in the barn. I went in another room and sat down with him, and he said, "I want to make a deal with you about this section," says I, "what section do you mean," I had not heard then who was the lowest bidder. Dunn did not get back and I had not been to the village. He says, "you got the

work," says I, "how do you know?" "Well," says he, "I have seen the bid and looked it all over," I said "there may be something informal or wrong;" he says, "it ain't, it is all right, and you have got it, and I know it is so. Now," he says "I want you to throw up your bid and I will give you \$6,000, or I will get your bid out of the way, and you may have my bid for \$8,000.

Q. That is he would get your bid out of the way, and you might get his for \$8,000, or he would get yours out of the way and take it himself for \$6,000? A. Yes, sir; I said I did not think that was right; I told him I would not do anything about it; Dunn was as much interested in it as I was; I says, "you can go down and deal with Dunn, and any deal you make with him I will be satisfied with." Well, we talked there half an hour, perhaps, and then he says "you are going right home?" I said "yes;" says he, "I have got to feed my horses;" this was Friday, it was the same night of the letting; says he, "I have got to feed my team and get some supper, and then I will come down," and says he, "you go down to Dunn's with me;" I said, "it is late now and its no use, and any deal you make with him I will be satisfied with;" I went down along home and put my horse out and got my supper. I had just got my supper, when Lord and Spencer drove up; Lord said "you have got to get in now, and go down to Dunn's with me;" I said "it is no use;" I had been out all day, and was tired, but he hung out, and I went down with him; we got there about 11 o'clock; Dunn had gone to bed; I roused him up and got him into the room, and Lord commenced to talk to him as he had talked to me; I told Dunn what was up, and he commenced talking about it; Dunn said he did not know—he did not think it was the right way of doing business, and that he thought he could not do it and would not do it; finally they talked there a long time, till by and by another Dunn, a brother to Peter, came home; he had been down to the village; it was about eleven o'clock, and we all four talked it over; Lord made his proposition.

Q. What did he propose? A. He proposed to give \$6,000 and get our bid out of the way, or we should have his bid for \$8,000; we told him we did not believe we could get it on his bid—thought it would be excessive.

Q. What was his bid? A. It was \$35,000 a year.

Q. What was yours? A. \$29,000 I think.

Q. His was \$6,000 a year higher for 5 years? A. Yes sir.

Q. That would make \$30,000 difference to the State? A. Yes sir.

Q. Was anything said there at this time in reference to how he could get your bid out of the way? A. I told him "It is impossible for you to get that bid, or for me to get it." He says "I can get it out of the way; it may cost something; it may cost \$1,000 or \$1,200, but I can get it out of the way, I think." Then Peter Dunn and I went in another room and talked it over alone, and finally made up our minds we would not have anything to do with it, would let it run just as it was; we thought his bid was an excessive bid, and if he went and destroyed ours or made it informal it would throw his bid out. We finally concluded we would not have anything to do with it, and went back and told him we could not do anything with it. Finally he talked and said "I can get your bid out of the way, but it will cost something."

Q. Did he say how he could get it out of the way? A. No sir; I knew how; he would have to make it informal some way or other, to get it out of the way. Finally Dunn says to me "you had better go down to Albany;" his words were "the damn'd scoundrel may get your bid out of the way, and get it on his own, and you will get nothing."

Q. You finally agreed to take the \$6,000? No sir; we left it open; Dunn told Lord that he or I would go down, meet him at Rochester Saturday night, and go down with him and see what he could do and settle the thing up.

Q. One of you was to go down and see what could be done when you came here? A. Yes, sir; Lord said he would do so and so, but Dunn did not fairly agree to take it, but I was to come down and see what could be done.

Q. What time did you come down? A. I came down Saturday night, met him at eleven o'clock at the depot at Rochester. That was the time agreed on.

Q. When did you go to Rochester? A. Sunday morning; I came down to Schenectady with him.

Q. Did you get off at Schenectady? A. No, sir.

Q. Did he? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Why did he get off? A. A mile or two before he got off he said "there is a man in Schenectady I want to see, and I think he will be right on the steps and if he ain't, I will have to stop over this train, and I can ride down on the next train."

Q. What time was it you got to Schenectady on Sunday morning?

A. About eight o'clock, I think.

Q. Then what? A. Well, I kept right on and came to Albany.

Q. He stepped off at Schenectady? A. Yes, sir; I did not see him again until dark; he came in on the train after dark. He and Forrest came in together.

Q. He and Forrest arrived on the train about dark? A. Yes, sir.

Q. He had spent through the day at Schenectady? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you see them when they came off the train? A. I saw them; I was watching for him; I wanted to see him and have the thing understood some way.

Q. You wanted to complete the arrangement in some shape? A. Yes, sir; I was watching to see him and did see him.

Q. What was said? A. I talked with him; he said he could not do anything about it.

Q. Was this before they had been up to the State Hall? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Where did you go from there? A. They both stopped at the Delavan House.

Q. Where then did they go? A. They did not go away from there; I was there until 8 or 9 o'clock, and they did not go away from there.

Q. Did they go up to the State House? I did not see them go up there; I did not see them all the while.

Q. Did you see them again on Monday? A. Yes, sir; I saw George Lord on Monday morning, and he said "there are so many people watching that I could not get a chance to see them."

Q. This was Monday morning you are sure? A. Yes, sir; the Board met at 9 o'clock.

Q. He told you he had not seen those bids at all. A. Yes, sir.

Q. When did Hugh Severance come there? A. He came Tuesday.

Q. Are you sure it was Tuesday? A. I think it was Tuesday; it might have been Monday, but I won't say certain.

Q. When were they awarded? A. I think the Board met Monday, but did not do any business.

Q. The Board adjourned over to Tuesday? A. Yes sir.

Q. Hugh Severance was here before any declaring off took place? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who sent Hugh down? A. Dunn I suppose; I had a tele-

graph dispatch from Dunn saying Hugh would be down here about noon, and I guess he was here just about noon.

Q. What was next done? A. Well, I talked with Lord about it before we went up to the Hall, the State Department; I mistrusted that he had spoiled my bid; I thought that that was what he stopped off at Schenectady for; I had seen Benton or heard by somebody from him that Lord would not have it on his bid anyway.

Q. What did you say to Lord? I said, "you have spoiled my bid; and they wont let you have it on yours;" he said "ah!" The bids were opened at night, along after dark; my bid was informal.

Q. You mean by opening, canvassed? A. Yes, sir; they had been opened at Buffalo.

Q. How did it turn out? A. Well, they passed the bids around; they looked my bid over, looked it over all the way round the Board, and it came back again; Alberger was the man that handed it in and it came back to him; Benton sat next to him and said, "I don't see anything wrong about the bid; the bid is all right;" they were just about to declare the bid off, and George Lord stood behind him up in the corner, and he reached over his shoulder and put his finger where the Supervisor's name ought to have been.

Q. What did he say when he put it upon the paper? A. He did not say anything, but drew Alberger's attention to it.

Q. What did Alberger say? A. Alberger said "that will never do," and then he showed it to the Board; he said it is not right, it is informal.

Q. Why? A. Because it was not signed by the Supervisor.

Q. Then what was said next? A. Then it was passed around to the Board again and thrown out.

Q. Was it signed by the Supervisor? A. I got the copy of the paper made out, and then Dunn took the paper down from the office where we had it made, it was, perhaps, ten or fifteen rods to the Supervisor's house; I was packing up some papers and things, and Dunn said "I will take that down to Ingham's, and it will be done;" I put the papers up and walked right down there pretty soon, within five or ten minutes; Dunn sat right there and Ingham with him; I said "Peter, have you got that all right?" and Dunn said "yes;" I did not see it then, and the next day Dunn went to Buffalo and took it with him.

Q. Did Lord tell you at Albany that if he succeeded in it, he would pay the \$6,000? A. No, sir; he did not.

The Committee adjourned to Tuesday the 13th August, 1867, at 10 A. M.

ALBANY, N. Y., August 13, 1867.

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment at 10 A. M.

Present—Senator STANFORD and Mr. MITCHELL, counsel to the Committee.

John H. Martindale, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL

Q. Are you the Attorney General of the State? A. I am.

Q. You reside at Rochester? A. I do.

Q. Have you examined a bond accompanying the bid of Mr. Ebenezer Kingsley for repair work, marked No. 50? A. I have examined a portion of this paper marked No. 50.

Q. Will you state what your judgment is as to whether there has been any signature of the Supervisor below the County Judge's signature? A. So far as I have ability to judge I should say that there had been no signature appended to it.

Q. Have you examined it with a glass? A. I have not.

Q. You have simply examined it with the naked eye? A. With glasses I habitually wear.

Q. But not with a strong glass? A. I have not, nor am I an expert in respect to the questions addressed to me.

Q. You feel clear that there has been no signature there? A. So far as I have means of judging, and I put the answer in that qualified form because I never had in my life occasion to examine a paper to which chemicals had been applied to ascertain how thoroughly the signature had been displaced.

Q. How long have you been Attorney General of this State? A. Since the first of January, 1866.

Q. You are not a member of the Contracting Board by virtue of your office? A. I am not.

Q. But you are of the Canal Board? A. I am.

Q. Are you aware of the practice that has existed in this State at

the canal lettings, of bids being opened when a full Board was not present, and then adjourning over until a full Board could be had to grant the contracts? A. I am not aware of any practice in that respect. On a certain occasion, I think, I do know of some postponements after the receipt of bids before they had been allotted.

Q. That is the business of the Contracting Board? A. Entirely.

Q. With that you have nothing to do? A. Nothing.

Q. Now, sir, I ask you, assuming that the practice has been to receive bids at different points in the State—to receive bids when only a portion of the Board was present, not sufficient to enter into the contract by law, whether they would have power to adjourn over, postpone, and then consider and execute the contract afterwards? A. On such a question I would find it necessary to look to the statutes, and I am not prepared now to give to you an answer satisfactorily to myself. On some occasion, the one to which I have adverted, I think I was applied to, to know whether a motion to reconsider some conclusion arrived at might be entertained, and I think I gave an opinion that a motion might be made to that effect, but even in that respect I may be in error, for it was a hurried application.

Q. Assuming that that power existed, when only one Commissioner was present and received the bids, and a postponement was made to Albany from Buffalo, where the bids were put in, for a couple of days for a full Board to examine and to pass upon the legality of the bids and to award the contracts, as the law officer of the State, do you think it would be proper, within the interim of that postponement, to allow any inspection of the bids by interested parties? A. No, sir.

Q. After the bid is put in it comes under the control of the State or of the State officer who has charge, until it is passed upon? A. I should say so. I should say that the practice and the law that requires the presentation of these bids in sealed envelopes, would imply, without anything further, that they were to be submitted for the inspection, examination and determination of the Board without communication with outside parties.

Q. Has it been the practice of the Canal Commissioners to receive these proposals at the advertised place without a full Board, and there opened by the Commissioner on the section, and whatever bids were made by the different contractors there proclaimed aloud by the

parties at the time and canvassed? A. I have no knowledge of the fact.

Q. You have heard of the De Graw award, have you not? A. Yes, sir; I have heard of the De Graw award, and yet I recognize it by the name of "De Graw award;" I am familiar with the award which has that designation; I have heard of it, and participated in the consideration before the Canal Board in respect to it.

Q. You had nothing whatever to do with the passage of the law by the Legislature or the taking of the testimony by the Committee of the Canal Board? A. I had nothing to do with the passage of the law; I had nothing to do with the examination by the Committee appointed to take that testimony except so far, perhaps, as to vote in the Board for a reference to a Committee to make the examination. I am not certain I did that, but I may.

Q. That Committee, of course, made their report to your Board? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then what action followed? A. According to my present recollection, the evidence in the case was reported by the Committee; I do not remember that any additional testimony was received before the Board, yet I may be in error in respect to that; after this testimony was received there was then consultation by the members of the Board as to the liability of the State under the provisions of the law referring it to the Board, and the case was disposed of under that evidence and that law—the interpretation given to it.

Q. Then what? A. Then the decision was made.

Q. Who was the Committee that took that evidence—do you recollect? A. The Chairman of that Committee I remember, I think it was Lieutenant-Governor Alvord, but whether anybody was associated with him, and who, I do not recollect.

Q. You recollect the Chairman? A. I recollect the Chairman being Mr. Alvord.

Q. Did that Committee report the amount that they thought should be awarded to Mr. De Graw? A. I don't remember.

Q. Independent of the statute, what was your opinion as to the liability of the State? A. That there was no liability.

Q. Did you take that ground in the Board? A. I can't remember. I made some report about that time on the question of liability, and the report is of record. The effect of it was that there was no liability on the part of the State except in the cases, where, by legis-

lative acts, a liability was assumed, as in a case of a claim against either an individual or a corporation, and I took the further ground that this immunity of the Government—the State from liability—rested not only upon the character of the State as sovereign but also on the grounds of public policy.

Q. Is it your opinion, at this time, that there was no liability upon the part of the State to pay damages in the De Graw case—no original liability? A. No original liability without the statute; I have no doubt about the want of liability.

Q. Is there anything that you can give to this Committee that would be of service to the State, as to any irregularities or frauds that have been committed against the State in the management of its canals, if so, we leave it for you to give any light that would be of benefit to the Committee or the people of the State at large? A. I don't recall a circumstance or a fact to which I could testify that would afford that information.

Selden E. Marvin, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Auburn.

Q. What position do you hold? A. Adjutant-General of the State.

Q. Have you examined exhibit No. 50, in reference to ascertaining whether the Supervisor ever signed the certificate below the county judge? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What is your opinion as to whether there was or was not a signature? A. In my judgment I should think there never was a signature there.

Q. Have you ever had any experience in regard to extracting names with chemicals? A. No, sir.

Q. Could you form an opinion as to whether it might or might not be done by chemicals? A. No, sir; the ingenuity of man is so wonderful now-a-days.

Q. You are not familiar with it? A. No, sir; from the appearance of the paper I should say it was not extracted.

Q. You judge from the appearance of the paper, that there never has been any writing below the County Judge's name? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you ever been a member of the Canal Board? A. No, sir.

Q. Or of the Contracting Board? A. No, sir.

Q. I will ask you to state whether the name "Joseph Ingham, Supervisor," is in a different handwriting from the handwriting that filled up the certificate? A. Yes, sir, I should think it was.

Q. And also different from the County Judge's handwriting? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Whether that is the genuine handwriting of Ingham or not you don't know? A. No, sir.

James E. Pomfret, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. What is your profession? A. I am a physician.

Q. In Albany? A. In Albany.

Q. Have you examined this exhibit No. 50? A. I have, sir.

Q. What is your opinion as to whether there has been any name below the county judge's name on that paper? A. My opinion is, there has been no name there.

Q. Are you a chemist? A. I am.

Q. How have you examined it? A. I have only examined it by the eye. I have not looked at it with a glass or submitted it to any chemical test. I should say it never had been submitted to a chemical erasure.

David P. Forrest, a witness recalled, and testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. I think I asked you upon the other occasion when you were before the Committee whether you had ever allowed an inspection of these bids between the time of their being put in, and the time of the contract being awarded except in the case of Kingsley's bid, and I understood you to say you had not? A. No, I said I thought I had shown some of those papers to other persons.

Q. Who to? A. Well, I don't recollect; I stated so before.

Q. Contractors? A. Yes, sir; who they were now, I don't recollect.

Q. Do you know Mr. Holbrook of Sandy Hill? A. Yes, I know him.

Q. Did he ask you to let him look at his bid after the award was made and you refused to do so? A. I don't recollect.

Q. Did you ever refuse to let Mr. Holbrook see his bid after it

was put in, and before the contract was awarded? A. I don't recollect that I did; I don't think that I ever refused to allow any person to do so who asked; I had asked the Auditor if there was any impropriety in doing so, and he said no; I think if anybody asked me I would have let him

Q. The question is whether you refused Mr. Holbrook? A. I don't know that I did.

Q. What time Sunday did you say you came here? A. It was after dinner, the train went through.

Q. Get here before or after two o'clock? A. I could not say; we got on the freight train and came down.

Q. When did you go back? A. Back on the evening train; I am not positive whether it was the train at 6 o'clock or the train at 11; they used to run a train out at 6 from here Sunday evening, and I think it was 6.

Q. I think you said there was no person present except you and Lord when you examined the bids? A. No.

Q. Did you examine them by daylight? A. Yes.

Q. Did he ask to examine any but Kingsley's? A. Kingsley's and his own.

Q. Any others? A. No.

Q. There were others? A. Yes, a package of them there.

Q. Did you resign the place of clerk of the Contracting Board? A. No sir.

Q. Your time expired? A. I was elected that fall State Prison Inspector.

Q. How long did you hold the office of clerk of the Contracting Board? A. I think about nine or ten months; I think it was from about the first of April.

Q. How much salary did you get? A. \$1200 a year; \$700 for the Canal Commissioners and \$500 for the Contracting Board; there used to be two clerks, and I did both duties and they paid me \$1200 for it.

Q. Where was your office? A. Here.

Q. You lived at Schenectady? A. Yes, I went home every night. The Committee took a recess until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION—2 P. M.

The Committee met.

Porter W. Hyde, called as a witness and being duly sworn, testified :
By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. I reside at Fulton, when I am at home; my family is there; I board in Syracuse; my business is there.

Q. Have you been connected with the canals in any way? A. I have been Superintendent of the Oswego canal.

Q. Do you know Mr. Charles E. Case and Mr. De Graw? A. I do, well.

Q. Intimately, personally? A. For a good many years, very intimate with Mr. Case.

Q. Did you ever hear either of them make any remark in reference to payment of money to the Auditor? A. I did, sir.

Q. Well, you state the facts in reference to that in your own language? A. In the first place I was talking with Mr. De Graw, and he told me that Mr. Case was down here and gave Mr. Belden \$500, that he borrowed the money of Commissioner Dorn as he did not have it with him, and then when he went home he sent his check to him for it. I then was talking with Mr. Case a few days after, and he told me the same thing, told me that he did. The way Mr. Case came to tell me was we were taking a glass of ale together one evening and felt pretty social, and I got talking about this, and he told me it was so.

Q. How long ago was this money borrowed? A. About a year ago.

Q. After Mr. Dorn was Commissioner? A. Yes, sir.

Q. There was nothing that you had done to draw this out particularly from De Graw? A. No, nothing particular.

Q. He stated it as a fact to you? A. Yes, we sometimes talk such thing over, being very intimate. I had been for a year or two laughing at them about their stealing; I had been bidding a little myself, but I did not have money enough to bid against it so they left me out.

Q. Will you go on and state any other matter that you know of in reference to the canals? A. I met an old gentleman in the street, William Cooper; he had worked for me and my family and is very

poor, and I took an interest in him, and I asked him what he was doing and how he was getting along, asked him if he was to work for the State; he said he was; I asked him what they paid him a month this summer, he said, "they only pay me \$15, and I think it is too bad, but they have promised to do better by me in the fall at the final settlement;" I knew if he had signed his receipts there could not be any other final settlement; I asked him if he had signed any receipts, and he said not; then I thought there was fraud about it, and I asked him if he would swear to that, and he said he would; so I got him to step up with me into Mr. Pardee's office, who is a justice, and he took down his statement, and I told him to read it over slow and distinct to Mr. Cooper which he did, and he asked Mr. Cooper if it was true and he said it was, and he asked him if he would swear to it, and he said he would, and that he wanted to swear to it, and he did. I then wrote to Mr. Benton, asking him if Mr. Cooper's receipts were on file, and if so how much he was paid per month, and McGourkey answered the letter, the Deputy Auditor, I think the Auditor was away at the time saying they were on file, and that they were \$30 per month. I had the letter and affidavit together.

Q. Whose employ was Cooper in? A. A. P. Hart, of Phoenix; he was Canal Superintendent at this time under Mr. Bruce.

Q. Have you got the papers? A. I lent them to Willard Johnson; he claimed that he wanted them for some purpose and would return them, but he never has returned them.

Q. Have you ever asked him for them? A. Yes, I did a short time after, and he said he would in a day or two, but he never did. I should have asked him for them since I have been subpoenaed, as the subpoena calls for papers, but I have not seen him.

Q. Do you know of anything else to the interest of the State or her welfare, that you, as a citizen, can state? A. No, I don't know that I do.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. In reference to this break at Oriskany, what conversation did you have with Mr. Case? A. I had a conversation with Mr. Case on his return home, and he said the break was not big enough to suit him, and he arranged to have his men strike, so that the break would be larger.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. How would that increase the price? A. If they struck, he would have to pay them a dollar a day more.

Q. He managed to have his men strike, so that the expenses of the strike would be greater? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And in order, as you understood it, that the expense should fall upon the State, and not upon the contractor? A. Yes; I understood it, so as to have the State mixed in with paying the bills.

Q. He arranged it by an outside arrangement, in order to have the men strike and not know that he was connected with it? A. Yes, sir.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. You understand that the contractor has to pay for a break of \$5,000, but if beyond that, the State has to pay part? A. That is just what I understand.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Then this was so it would go beyond that? A. Yes, so the State and he would be mixed up together in settling up the bills.

Q. The object of the strike as you understood it was to get the State connected with the settlement of the damages of that break? A. That is just as I understood it to be.

Q. And that he told you he did indirectly, so the men would not know it? A. Yes; he told me that in front of the Globe Hotel, on his way home.

Q. When was that? A. I can't remember dates, but it was when he was returning home from the break.

Q. About when? A. I think it was in June.

Q. He had that section under his charge? A. It is the Utica section; I think it is section 5.

Q. Did you know the late Henry Fitzhugh well? A. I did sir.

Q. You were under him as a superintendent? A. Yes sir.

Q. You had frequent conversation with him? A. I did sir.

Q. What did he say to you in reference to the contract system? A. He told me he was one of the originators of it, and that he was very anxious to have the law passed, but that it had proved to be a total failure.

Q. Did he tell you why? A. Yes sir; on account of their stealing.

Q. Whose stealing? A. The contractors.

Q. Did he say anything about the officials connected with it?

A. He said like this: "If we could have all honest men, and make these contractors do their duty, it would do very well."

Q. Mr. Fitzhugh's opinion was, that with honest officials, the system was good, but that with dishonest ones it was a failure? A. Yes, sir, he said that to me.

Q. Have you noticed the Auditor's reports from year to year? A. Yes, sir; I have noticed them.

Q. Can you say anything in reference to any points that have struck you in examining those reports, as a canal man? A. I can say as a canal man, that it struck me very forcibly that he should mention what it would take to put the canals in as good condition as they were when they were first let by contract.

Q. Do you think it would take a large sum of money to put them in that condition? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you any doubt about it? A. No, sir; I have not any doubt about it—a very large sum, and I know it, too; I traveled all over the Oswego canal last summer for Captain Myers, and I know every stick, and how it is fastened, and I know all the wood work is rotted away.

Q. Then your idea is that the people are largely burdened by the dilapidation of the canals, and that they will find that burden when they replace them in the position they were when the contract system was adopted? A. Yes, sir; I do.

Q. That is a burden that is yet unseen to the people? A. Yes, sir.

Q. But the people of the State who are hereafter to manage will, in your judgment, certainly find it? A. Yes, sir; they must find it; I spoke to a boatman coming up the hill to day, and asked him what condition the canals were in; he says, "very bad, indeed; I used to go down through the sixteen locks near Cohoes in sixteen hours, and it now takes me twenty-six."

Q. That has been Mr. Gale's, section No. 1? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Then according to your idea as a canal man, the contractors have played upon the fine condition the State had put the canals in at a large expense and have made money upon them? A. Yes, sir; I know it.

William McGourkey, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. I reside in Albany.

Q. Are you the Deputy Auditor of the State? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How long have you been? A. I have been Deputy Auditor since 1859.

Q. Is the Auditor present to-day? A. He is in the city; he has not been back since dinner.

Q. Where is Mr. Southwick? A. Well, I understood he was unwell this morning.

Q. He is not in the office? A. No, sir; not this afternoon.

Q. Do you know in reference to this excavation of the Albany basin, and the money paid through this office for it? A. I do not know anything at all about it.

Q. Can you tell us when the last payment was made? A. I might sir, by referring.

Q. Will you please look at the books, and tell us when the last two payments were made and the amounts? A. The tenth of July \$5,610; that was the next to the last.

Q. How much has been paid since? A. I believe to-day sir, there was a draft paid of \$9,112—August 13th.

Q. Has there not been one paid between those two dates? A. I think not, sir.

The Auditor here appearing in the office, the further examination of this witness was dispensed with.

Nathaniel S. Benton, a witness recalled, testified as follows:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Since you were on the stand before what amount has been paid to Mr. Gale, for excavating the Albany basin? A. I do not know, sir.

Q. Examine and see, between the 8th of July and to-day? A. \$36,312 is the whole amount that has been paid.

May 20, 1867,	\$9,520
June 19, 1867,	12,070
July 10, 1867,	5,610
August 13, 1867,	9,112
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Q. How much of it since you were examined before? A. I can't tell you exactly.

Q. Several thousand dollars? A. Yes, sir.

Q. I understood you when you, were on the stand before, to con-

strue that contract to be 100,000 yards for the full five years, and that you had paid all you would pay this year? A. Very likely I did; I can't say what I testified to.

Q. Why have you paid since? A. I have paid because the Canal Commissioner has made his draft on me; I notified the Commissioner and the Engineer.

Q. Then you construe that this last payment is wrong? A. That is the way I think, but others disagree with me; I see the others who have testified before you say that the contract is so broad as to admit of paying half a million dollars.

Q. And the Commissioner has acted upon that theory in drawing that draft? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who is the Commissioner? A. Mr. Dorn.

Q. I understood you to say you notified the Commissioner you would not pay any more? A. I notified the Commissioner and engineer that they must stop, but they have not stopped.

Q. Still you continue to pay? A. They draw on me.

Q. Is not your construction of it sufficient to resist the payment? A. It would not be sufficient for me to resist a mandamus.

Q. If your construction was that only 100,000 yards could be taken out for the five years, and they had taken out all they could for this year, would it not be your duty to refuse to pay? A. That I can't say.

Q. If that was your opinion as Auditor, would it not be your duty to refuse to pay? A. I don't wish to give any testimony as to that, the facts are here.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. You stated that was your construction of it? A. I say that now.

Q. And that you would not pay any more? A. I did not mean that I would resist a draft of the Canal Commissioner, but that I would notify him to that effect, and they have been notified.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Who notified them? A. I did.

Q. What did you say to the Commissioner? A. I told him I would have to stop.

Q. What did he say? A. I don't remember that he made any remark at all.

Q. But the work goes on, and he continues to draw his drafts?

A. Yes. The work will have to stop soon, because the appropriation is about exhausted.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Add the fifteen per cent kept back to what you have paid him, and how much will it make it? A. It will make \$40,000.

Q. According to your construction there was to be paid \$70,000 in five years, and you have already paid \$40,000 in this first year?

A. Yes, sir; more than half of it the first six months; with the fifteen per cent it makes \$42,720.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Taking the first seven months and counting the amount reserved by the State, there would be paid and due the contractor \$42,720, for excavation alone? A. Yes, sir; besides the half of \$70,000.

Q. Then they are proceeding upon the theory that this contract—
A. They are proceeding upon the principle that they may exhaust the whole hundred thousand yards in the first year.

Q. And that they may take out half a million of yards in the five years, if it is found there? A. According to some of the doctrines advanced to you.

Q. Well, if they find it there to the mitre sill of the lock, even to an unlimited amount in five years? A. That is so, under their construction.

Q. And you are paying the drafts upon that construction? A. No, sir.

Q. Your construction was that they could only have the adequate rate for the first year, one-fifth? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And having gone beyond that, you are paying the drafts on the other theory? A. Not to embrace the whole half million of yards.

Q. What principle are you paying on? A. On the assumption that they may exhaust the whole hundred thousand yards the first year; that construction would not involve the other necessarily.

Q. What construction are you paying this on? A. If I am paying at all, I am paying it on the construction that they may exhaust the whole hundred thousand yards the first year.

Q. It is a different construction from what you put forth to us on the last examination? A. Yes.

Q. If you think that is an illegal draft as you testified before, and

contrary to the contract, why did you not refuse to pay this last draft? A. Did I say illegal.

Q. You said contrary to your construction of the contract? A. Yes.

Q. But are not you the judge in this office? A. Yes, but I am subject to rules.

Q. What rules? A. Any legal rules.

Q. Are there any rules that compel you to pay a draft contrary to your convictions of duty? A. Yes, very often.

Q. What rule is that? A. I have paid more than hundreds of thousands of dollars.

Q. Do you state now that you believe that this contract does not compel you to pay it? A. I said that was my construction.

Q. Then why do you pay it? A. I told you; the Commissioner drew his draft, and I don't see how I can resist it.

Q. Why can you not if you think that draft was drawn wrongfully? A. If it was drawn without any authority of law or unconstitutionally drawn upon an unconstitutional law.

Q. But if you believe it is drawn in the teeth of the contract as you believe the true construction is, why do you pay it, even if the Commissioner draws it? A. I pay it some times inadvertently.

Q. How did you pay this? A. I did not notice it until after the warrant was signed.

Q. If you had been in the office and noticed it, would you have allowed it? A. I would have objected to it.

Q. Your objection would have been a finality in this office? A. It would.

Q. If you had been in the office you would have prevented its being paid? A. I don't say that; I should demur to it.

Q. Would you demur and then pay against your judgment? A. I would demur and consider.

Q. You having this settled conviction, would you have paid it had you been here? A. I won't say I would, or I won't say I would not.

Q. Will you pay any more this year? A. I don't mean to, this fiscal year.

Q. Who was it that paid this draft inadvertently? A. Nobody but myself.

Q. You did not pay it, if you were not here? A. Yes, I was

here; I say I did not notice it until the warrant was signed; when I sign a warrant I examine the basis upon which it is founded.

Q. Then you sign this very warrant which draws against your own construction of the contract, personally? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You did not notice till after you had drawn? A. No, sir.

Q. Then why did you not withdraw the issuing of it? A. It came here through a bank.

Q. What difference did it make to you whether it came through a bank or private hands? A. It makes this difference, that if they were in the habit of negotiating them, I ought first to tell them I would not negotiate any more.

Q. Is the reason why you paid this because it came through the Merchant's Bank? A. No, sir.

Q. Well, how is it? A. Well, I won't say anything more about it.

Q. I understood you it was because it came through a bank? A. No, sir; I say this, that if it had come here through the drawee himself, and he had come here, I would have refused him.

Q. But having come through this bank, you concluded after you had signed it inadvertently, to let it pass? A. Perhaps I did; I did let it pass.

Q. And that, after testifying before that you would not? A. You are dragging in collateral and extraneous matter.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. According to your construction of this contract there were \$70,000 to be paid during the five years? A. Yes, sir.

Q. But it turns up here that you have paid within the first seven months of the contract \$42,720, less fifteen per cent, the fifteen per cent being kept back as security? A. Yes, sir.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Do you know Linus Jones Peck, of Orleans county? A. I know him as much as this, he was a contractor a long while ago for the construction contract at Holley; I am not particularly acquainted with him.

Q. Did he come to you several times for a series of years to get interest on the fifteen per cent which you kept back? A. Never that I recollect of.

Q. Did you never tell him that you would not pay it? A. No, sir.

Q. And that it was unjust and iniquitous? A. No, sir, never.

Q. Do you know Mr. Mirick, of Lyons? A. There are two Miricks.

Q. The older Mirick? A. I can't say.

Q. Do you recollect of one of the Mr. Miricks coming to you to get his interest account figured up and paid here? A. What interest account?

Q. Upon construction work when the enlargement was made? A. No, I can't recollect such things as that.

Q. When it was ascertained that about \$25 was due. Do you recollect telling him that was not enough to pay him for coming down? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you recollect of refusing to pay him and others interest on the fifteen per cent that was kept back? A. It is among the possibilities that people confound two things together. The two millions and a half dollars that were raised by the loan, was applied to the payments of the drafts that were overdue, but not to pay the interest; to pay the principal of those drafts; subsequently there was a law passed authorizing the payment of interest on those drafts.

Q. Was there any law passed authorizing you to pay interest on the fifteen per cent that was reserved? A. Yes, passed in 1857.

Q. Was there any subsequent to 1857? A. Not on the fifteen per cent reserved.

Q. Did you not refuse to pay that to Linus Jones Peck and other contractors over and over again, since 1857? A. No, sir; how could I refuse it when the Canal Commissioner by the law of 1857 is bound to pay it.

Q. Did you ever refuse? A. Not that I know of.

Q. Do you know Mr. Hopkins of Little Falls? A. Yes, sir; I have known him several years.

Q. Did you pay large sums of money to him where he had the powers of attorney of these contractors? A. I presume there has.

Q. What amount? A. That I can't tell you.

Q. Could your clerk look readily? A. I don't think he could, without making some computation. I presume Mr. Southwick is going to make out that for you.

Q. To approximate to it, how much? A. I can't approximate.

Q. You can get it low enough? A. \$20,000 or \$30,000 or \$40,000.

Q. Was there not over \$70,000 in the whole State? A. Not that I know of.

Q. He had a power of attorney from the contractors? A. He brought the Canal Commissioners' drafts with the power of attorney from the contractors, and it was paid on the draft.

Q. And then you paid it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you have any interest in this payment? A. Just as much as you had.

Q. Did you have any? A. Just as much as you had.

Q. I did not have any. A. Nor I, either.

Q. Do you know whether anybody else had, than himself? A. No, sir.

Q. You knew at the time that he received one-half? A. No, sir.

Q. When did you first learn that? A. I don't know that I have learned it to this day.

Q. Have you heard it? A. I have heard such things.

Q. Have you had a talk with Hopkins within the last two or three days? A. No, sir.

Q. Have you seen him within the last week about it? A. No, sir, I have not.

Q. Have you seen him to talk with him, during the last week? A. I have seen him to pass the time of day with him.

Q. Has he told you he was subpoenaed? A. No, sir.

Q. Has he told you he expected to be? A. Not that I remember.

Q. Were you at Little Falls last night? A. No, sir.

Q. When did you leave there? A. Yesterday morning, at six o'clock.

Q. Did you see him Saturday night? A. Yes, I guess I did, in the street in front of the tavern.

Q. Did you have an interview with him since last Saturday morning any time? A. An interview in the street.

Q. Talk with him? A. Yes, talked with him.

Q. Did he speak of these drafts or of this interest account? A. No, sir; I had no consultation with him.

Q. How did it happen that the interest on the fifteen per cent was not paid till 1866? A. I presume sir, that the contractors had forgotten all about it, altho' I don't know it.

Q. There had been several here to settle their interest account? A. Whenever anybody came here to settle their interest account it was paid, as far as I know.

Q. Before you paid the money upon Mr. Hopkins' draft did you not pay to some of the contractors their interest on the fifteen per

cent reserved? A. Yes, sir; I am paying it now every day; I have been paying it along since 1860.

Q. Can you give the names of any you paid it to? A. No, sir.

Q. Your books will show to whom you paid it? A. The books will show if you trace it down.

Q. Won't you have your clerk look? A. Do you want me to look for six or seven years? If you leave a memorandum we will trace it down.

Q. You have redeemed State stocks within the last two or three years? A. Yes, sir; I have redeemed a million and half dollars.

Q. You have done it principally through the New York State Bank of Albany? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you redeem them at a higher rate than their market value? A. No, sir; I got them at five per cent discount.

Q. Five per cent discount? A. Five per cent from their face.

Q. Did you redeem them at a higher rate than their market value? A. I don't know what their market value was; the Canal Commissioners authorized me to pay ninety-five cents on the dollar.

Q. Did you make redemptions in advance of any authority? A. No, sir; I made them upon the resolutions of the Commissioners of the Canal Fund.

Q. Has the Manhattan Company of New York been the financial agent of the State in that city? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were you charged by any officer of the Manhattan Company with redeeming these stocks at an improper rate? A. Not that I ever heard of.

Q. Is Mr. Morrison the President of the New York State Bank of Albany? A. No, sir.

Q. Is he the President of the Manhattan Company? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did he ever charge you with it? A. Not that I ever heard of.

Q. Did you ever have any talk with him on that subject? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Is Mr. Harburger the cashier of the Manhattan Company? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever have any talk with him about it? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you ever receive personally, from the New York State Bank, any money or property of any kind, directly or indirectly, in consequence of that stock being paid? A. No, sir; the bargain was made with Mr. King for a million and half dollars, by which the State saved \$75,000.

Q. Was there any money paid to you for the ostensible purpose of building an academy at Little Falls by the contractors? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How much? A. I got in all, of that fund, \$5,500.

Q. Who was it paid to you by? A. I can't name them now.

Q. Did Selye pay part? A. He paid \$500.

Q. Did Lord? A. \$500.

Q. Gale? A. \$500.

Q. Belden? A. \$500.

Q. Case? A. I guess not.

Q. Willard Johnson? A. \$500.

Q. Commissioner Dorn? A. \$500.

Q. Has that money ever been used for the benefit of the academy? A. No, sir, it has been invested; it is on interest now.

Q. How long since that has been paid in? A. Two or three years ago.

Q. How came these contractors to be interested in building an academy at Little Falls? A. I can't tell you anything about that.

Q. Why has not the academy been built? A. It ain't an academy; it is a hall.

Q. Why has it not been built? A. There is not money enough.

Q. How does it stand? A. It stands in my name, but it belongs to the trustees of the academy.

Q. What is it invested in? A. In State stocks and United States stocks.

Q. Where are they? A. Down in the bank.

Q. And the \$5,500 came out of the contractors? A. No, sir, not out of the contractors.

Q. The canal men? A. Yes, out of canal men.

Q. How came they interested to build this hall at Little Falls? What induced Mr. Belden, of Syracuse, to pay \$500 to build the hall at Little Falls? A. I don't know, excepting this: the condition of the subscription was that every subscriber who paid \$500 was to have a free scholarship in the academy.

Q. The trustees are to build a hall? A. Yes, sir, a hall appended to the academy.

Q. How much would build that hall? A. I supposed at first that I could get through with \$6,000, but that would not build it, and last winter, the last effort I made to get up the balance of the subscription, the bids for the hall were \$8,000. I could not raise it,

and did not get along far enough until this Committee was appointed, and I concluded then I should not pay it back until this was over; I was going to pay it back, but I did not want to open the door any wider.

Q. Do you think that would open it any wider? A. I did not want it to appear that I feared it.

Q. Don't you know that these men felt no interest in the academy, whatever? A. They felt no interest, probably, farther than I did.

Q. You reside there? A. I reside there.

Q. Did you ask any of those men to give it? A. I asked some of them, Mr. Selye, Mr. Dorn, and one of the others.

Q. They paid it over promptly? A. Not promptly.

Q. They paid it over to you? A. They paid it over and I got it, and when you are through, I am going to pay it back; I shall not before.

Q. Why don't you go on? A. Because I can't get money enough to build the building.

Q. When did you invest the money in stocks? A. It has been invested since I got it.

Q. Did any one contribute to the building, outside the village of Little Falls, except canal men? A. No, sir; the \$5,500 was contributed by canal men, in one way or other.

Q. You purchased a million and a half of those bonds, of brokers here in Albany, at ninety-five cents and interest? A. And accrued interest from the last quarter day.

Q. And the brokers knew what you would pay for them when you purchased them? A. Yes, sir.

Q. That is, they purchased them in the market in consequence of your buying them? A. I presume they did.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. They purchased these bonds knowing you would give ninety-five cents and accrued interest for them? A. Yes.

Q. Had you informed them you would give ninety-five cents and accrued interest for the bonds? A. I made no other bargain, except as they brought them here I took them; the Commissioner authorized me to pay ninety-five cents and accrued interest.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Don't you know at that time you could have bought them for less in the market? A. No, sir, I don't know anything of the kind.

The Committee then adjourned.

THURSDAY, *August 29th* 1867.

Present—Senator STANFORD, and Mr. MITCHELL, Counsel to the Committee.

FRED. J. WARBURTON appeared as Stenographer.

The following testimony was elicited.

Elisha W. Hopkins, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified :

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Little Falls.

Q. How long have resided there? A. Since September, 1855.

Q. You have been well acquainted during that time with ex-Commissioner Skinner and Auditor Benton? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Have you ever been connected with the canals? A. Yes, sir.

Q. In what capacity? A. As a contractor, and I was also superintendent about nine or ten months I think.

Q. When were you superintendent? A. I think it was in 1863; I am not quite positive.

Q. Was Skinner Commissioner then? A. He was, sir.

Q. Who was superintendent before you? A. John Beardsley.

Q. What section is that? A. Sections 4 and 5.

Q. Where does it extend to? A. It runs from Mindenville.

Q. What county is it in? A. I really don't know whether it runs out of Herkimer or not.

Q. Where does it run to? A. Section 4 runs from Mindenville to the upper gates of the lock at Frankfort, and section 5 from the upper gates at Frankfort to Higginsville.

Q. Was Commissioner Dorn Superintendent at the same time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What section was he on? A. I think he was on two and three; I know he joined me at Mindenville.

Q. Commissioner Skinner had the eastern division of the canals? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did he own a saw mill at the time, at Little Falls? Yes, sir; for a good many years.

Q. Did he own it alone? A. That I don't know; I never knew he had any partner.

Q. He ran it? A. Yes, sir; there was a man by the name of

Sherman, who seemed to be always at the mill, and I have seen him often buying logs and measuring logs ; I don't know whether he was a partner in the mill or not ; I never heard that he was or that he was not.

Q. Who was the Superintendent before the contract system ? A. That I don't know ; I don't remember who was Superintendent before Mr. Beardsley ; I think those divisions were divided up ; I judge so because the salary of those two sections was less than any others on the line of the canals.

Q. Do you know whether the lumber from Skinner's mill was used on the canal ? A. I don't know, sir.

Q. Do you know of lumber made at that mill being furnished to the State ? A. I don't know how I can answer any further than to say when I was Superintendent, I think I bought some lumber, but I don't suppose I bought \$100 worth there, and that I may have charged to the contractor.

Q. Did you know of the contractors buying lumber there ? A. I think I have.

Q. Who ? A. I don't know, but I remember going there and ordering some lumber for a bridge that had given out ; I told the contractor to get it done and he did not, and I went over there and ordered it and had it charged to Mr. Hosch.

Q. Did you see large quantities taken from there and brought to the canal ? A. No, sir ; I have seen a large amount come in, delivered by other parties, but not that mill.

Q. What contractor besides Hosch had lumber from there ? A. I don't know.

Q. Where did he reside ? A. At Mohawk.

Q. Do you know anything about a carriage that Mr. Skinner received the last year he was Commissioner ? A. I know that he has a carriage, sir.

Q. When did he get it ? A. Well, it was some little time after he went out of office ; I heard that he had a carriage and I went over to the barn to look at it.

Q. He received it after he went out ? A. Yes, sir. It was a very nice looking carriage, but never has been out of the barn.

Q. Do you know where it came from ? A. I do not, sir ; I understood it was presented to him by his friends.

Q. Did you pay anything towards it ? A. Not a farthing.

Q. Do you know where it was made ? A. No, sir ; I thought of

looking; there is a plate on it where it was made, but it stood at the back side of the barn so I could not read it, but I thought it would be out in a few days and I could see.

Q. About what would it cost? A. I am not a judge of carriages, but I should say it was about as nice a one as they could make.

Q. About how much? A. It would be mere guess work; I should say from \$800 to \$1,000; that I should judge from the price of buggy-wagons which I know something about.

Q. How long after he went out was it presented to him? A. I could not say; my impression is two or three months.

Q. Did you ever see it used? A. No, sir; I don't think a pair of horses have ever been hitched to it; I know I said to him once "when you bring out that new carriage, you must give me a drive," and he said yes.

Q. Is Mr. Skinner able to come here? A. No, sir, I don't think he is.

Q. Is he sick. A. Yes, sir; there has been a good deal said about that and I perhaps may know more than anybody else.

Q. What is your judgment as to his being able to be examined? A. I don't think he is in a condition to come to Albany; he might be examined at home.

Q. Did you ever have any work in building the Schoharie dam? A. Yes, sir; I was a partner in that work.

Q. Who with? A. Albert G. Sage and Peck.

Q. Who was Commissioner? A. Mr. Skinner; we took the work I think, before he was elected; we took the work under the previous Commissioner and finished it up during his administration.

Q. How extensive a contract was that? A. Well, I don't remember the aggregate of it, but it was not large.

Q. Did you purchase any timber of Skinner? A. Not a stick.

Q. Or of his agents? A. No, sir.

Q. Or that was manufactured at that mill? A. No, sir; we purchased our lumber entirely of Dodge, of Fulton.

Q. Where is that Schoharie dam? A. At Tribe's Hill, just above the aqueduct.

Q. How extensive a contract was it? A. I don't remember, but to give you the best of my judgment I should say it amounted to twenty odd thousand dollars.

Q. Who let it to you? A. It was at a public letting; I forget the Commissioner who was in.

Q. Any other work that you have been engaged in on the canal within five years? A. No, sir; I built locks forty and forty-one, but I closed them up in 1857. Mr. Sherrill was the man I think, whom I took the Schoharie dam contract from.

By Mr. STANFORD.

Q. How did you become possessed of that contract? A. I was in originally; I don't know whether we all signed the proposition or whether it was signed "G. H. Peck & Co."

Q. You had one-third interest? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And drew one-third of the profits? A. The work did not turn out to be a profitable job; we did not make any money on it; we had very bad luck.

Q. Did you lose money? A. Well, I think we have a lawsuit yet growing out of it, and if that should go against us we would lose something; we did not get pay enough for our time to pay our board.

Q. If that should go against you would you have your share to lose individually? A. My share of it proportionately.

Q. You represented no one else in that contract? A. No, sir.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Have you ever paid Mr. Skinner any money while he was Commissioner? A. Not a dollar.

Q. Directly or indirectly? A. Directly or indirectly.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. No money transactions with him? A. No, sir; none whatever.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. What was the name of the party who sued Mr. Avery for infringing his patent as to paddles? A. George Heath.

Q. Do you know of Mr. Skinner furnishing or being interested in furnishing any of those paddles to the State? A. No, sir; I do not.

Q. Were you ever interested in them? A. Not a shilling.

Q. Were there any manufactured at Little Falls? A. I think that John Beardsley manufactured them there at one time.

Q. In the State shop or outside of it? A. I don't know; it must have been outside.

Q. Beardsley is dead? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Do you know of any body else manufacturing any? A. Heath has; I think he is now.

Q. Outside of Heath? A. No, sir.

Q. How extensively have they been used? A. I could not tell what proportion of the locks, but they have been used pretty generally for some years.

Q. How many places were they manufactured? A. I think both at Schenectady and Little Falls.

Q. Who manufactured them at Schenectady? A. This Mr. Heath.

Q. He sold them to the State? A. That I don't know.

Q. Do you know of Mr. Skinner having any interest anywhere in the manufacture of them? A. No, sir.

Q. You say you never had any interest in them? A. Not a farthing; there was a lot inventoried when I took charge of the canal and I turned them right over and they were taken out of the contractors' account.

Q. Did you learn the fact that there was interest money upon the fifteen per cent. that was kept back as security by the State during the enlargement of the Erie canal? A. Yes, sir, I dug out that.

Q. When did you first learn it? A. I learned it being administrator of Mr. Cromwell's estate, an extensive contractor.

Q. When? A. That must have been 1865.

Q. Whose estate? A. Mr. Cromwell, my brother-in-law, of Syracuse; he was killed in the west.

Q. Did you apply to the Auditor to pay it? A. I asked him, after being at work on the accounts, if he would pay the interest on this fifteen per cent.

Q. This was for the enlargement work on the Erie canal? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What did he say? A. He said yes, if there was money to pay it.

Q. When was it you applied to him? A. I think it was in 1865.

Q. Did he pay it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Without any objections? A. Yes, sir.

Q. How much? A. I don't remember the amount.

Q. About how much? A. I could not tell.

Q. Was it large or small? A. The amount I should not think was very large; he had fifteen or twenty contracts I was looking up; some was on drafts and some was on fifteen per cent; I should think it was not large.

Q. How large—was it more than \$100? A. I should think it

was more than \$100 and less than \$1000 ; I may be mistaken about that.

Q. Did you then discover that there were other contractors who had not received interest on the fifteen per cent? A. No, sir; I thought if it was so in this case, it would be so in others who did work about that time.

Q. Did you investigate, to find out if there were others? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And you ascertained there was quite a large amount, by examination? A. No, I did not examine, I got the names; I went to the Engineer's office and got a tracing of the canal, and there I got every number of section that was on the canal, put it down on a piece of paper, and then being familiar with canal men, every canal man I would see I would ask, who built such and such sections? and I got my information in that way.

Q. You traced out whom it was due to? A. I did not know who it was due to.

Q. You traced out who it was due to providing it was not paid? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You got names? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Was this after you had collected this money as administrator, of the Auditor? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you then apply to those persons to collect that money for them? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And drew up a power of attorney for them to sign, giving you power to collect and giving you one-half? A. I drew up a power of attorney.

Q. Giving you one-half? A. The bargain that we agreed.

Q. That was one half? A. Is there any necessity for my stating that?

Q. The power of attorney shows. A. It does not state the arrangement between him and me.

Q. Is it not in the power of attorney in any instance? A. No, sir.

Q. You made an arrangement which was in writing of the amount you were to receive? A. Yes; I would rather not state that.

Q. How much did you collect in all? A. After you spoke to me the other day I tried to recollect but I could not; it is a matter of judgment.

Q. About how much? A. My judgment is that it was something over \$40,000.

Q. For interest? A. Yes, sir, for the various parties.

Q. Do you not think it was over \$70,000? A. I do not.

Q. Would you swear it was not over \$80,000? A. If I swore to it I would swear to something I don't know anything about, but I have no idea it is any such amount.

Q. You think it is over \$40,000? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When you got the power of attorney did the Auditor pay you in every instance where anything was due? A. The accounts were made up and I filed my powers of attorney, and the money was paid to me.

Q. You kept your account at Fort Stanwix Bank, Rome? A. Yes, sir, I had an account there.

Q. And you sent your checks on that bank for the share going to the owner? A. I paid some by check and some by draft, and I think some in currency. I settled with these gentlemen just exactly as I agreed to.

Q. Was Linus Jones Peck one of these parties? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Were the two Mr. Merricks of Lyons, others? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you apply in person to the Merricks and Peck to give you those powers. A. To one of the Merricks and Peck.

Q. The old gentleman was the one you applied to? A. Yes, sir.

Q. When you first applied to Ira Merrick he declined to give you a power of attorney did he not? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Said he would consider it? A. He said he was coming to Albany himself, and would look it up.

Q. Did you know he came here and was unable to get any interest on the fifteen per cent.? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you not hear so? A. No, sir.

Q. Did he afterwards send you the power of attorney? A. He did.

Q. Did you have any difficulty in collecting Mr. Merrick's money of the Auditor? No, sir.

Q. Did you have any difficulty in collecting what was due Linus Jones Peck? A. No, sir.

Q. Mr. Merrick and Mr. Peck both swear they paid you one-half, is their evidence correct? A. Yes, sir, it is.

Q. Can you, as a canal man and familiar with the mode of collecting that interest understand why Mr. Merrick should have any

difficulty in collecting his own interest? A. I don't know if it was a case like my own; I went as administrator of the estate and asked for interest on the drafts.

Q. Do you know of any reason why he should not have got if he went and asked for it? A. No reason at all, sir.

Q. Do you know why Linus Jones Peck, if he applied year after year for the interest, should not been paid? A. I do not, sir.

Q. Did Linus Jones Peck inform you that he had been several times to the Auditor to collect that interest? A. No, sir.

Q. Did he not inform you of it after you had collected it, and that he had been wronged in having to pay you one half after he had tried year after year to collect it himself? A. No, sir.

Q. Did he make any complaint to you? A. I met him once on the cars; he was going to stop off at my place and see me; he said he had received my check, and made some remark like this, that if it had been an amount of \$600 or \$700 he would not have cared so much about it, but such a large amount as this he thought he was paying too much.

Q. It was about \$5,000? A. I think it was over \$5,000, he said he had been to Albany and got sick of it.

Q. Did he speak about making complaints to the Legislature about it? A. No, sir; he said he felt like ventilating it.

Q. Did you tell him he need not feel hard toward you, that you had not received but one quarter of it? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you pay to any other person any share of that money in procuring it in any way? A. I never paid any State official.

Q. Did you pay to any person any portion of the share that you received for getting this money? A. No, sir; if I understand your question right—for procuring this money? Is that what you mean?

Q. Arising out of the collecting it, in any way? A. No, sir.

Q. Had you any partner in it? A. That I had rather not answer, sir.

Q. Did you receive the share that these various persons agreed to give you—the whole of it yourself—or was it divided with others? A. I received the whole of the money.

Q. Was your share divided with any other persons? A. That I should decline to answer.

By Senator STANDFORD.

Q. On what ground? A. That it is a private matter of my own.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. How many other persons were interested in the money you received? A. I decline to answer that.

Q. Was the power of attorney to you in person always? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And to no other person? A. To no other person.

Q. No other person but yourself is known upon the record in the collection of this interest? A. No, sir.

Q. Where do those persons reside, if there are any, who were interested in this collection? A. That I should decline to answer.

Q. I don't think you have a right to decline, unless it would injure or in some way criminate yourself. A. I have got some private matters in interest that I think it would make a very great difference with me.

Q. Do you decline to answer how many persons were interested with you? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you pay to the Auditor any money? A. Not a dollar.

Q. Directly or indirectly? A. Directly or indirectly.

Q. Did you pay to any State officer? A. No, sir, for this or any other transaction in my life.

Q. How did you procure this money—did you procure it of the Canal Commissioner whose section it was on? A. Yes, sir.

Q. From whom did you receive it? A. They were almost all of them on the western division, Mr. Alberger's section.

Q. Any upon General Bruce's section? A. I don't think there was one.

Q. Was there any hesitation on the part of the Commissioner to draw these drafts? A. None at all; merely asked the question if there was money to pay it.

Q. How long were you in collecting this interest? A. Do you mean from the time I first commenced investigating the thing?

Q. After you got through investigating for yourself, did you go immediately to work at the others? A. No, I was months in getting up this information that I got.

Q. Did you commence it immediately after you got through your own? A. No; it was after I got through with my own that I commenced to get these sections.

Q. Were you not told by many of these gentlemen, that they had tried to collect that and failed? A. Not but one of them.

Q. Will you swear that Linus Jones Peck did not tell you so? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Why did they not go themselves to collect? A. I don't think they knew anything about there being any law about paying anything; I did not go to a single, solitary man who claimed he had any such thing.

Q. Did any of these gentlemen refuse to give you power of attorney? A. Not but one man, and that was Mr. Mirick.

Q. All the rest gave it? A. Yes, sir; I took a good many powers of attorney where I did not get any interest.

Q. How many parties did you collect for? A. That I could not tell you.

Q. Did you divide with the persons you were interested with immediately or afterwards? A. I decline to answer that.

Q. You took the Commissioner's draft, and came to the Auditor and he paid it in every instance where anything was due? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You had no trouble in collecting from him—no mandamus? A. No, sir; nothing of the kind.

Q. And after you had procured the power of attorney, the collection was made without any trouble? A. Yes, sir.

Q. All you had to do when the clerks made up the account was to receive the money? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The clerks in the office made up the accounts in every instance? A. I suppose so.

Q. You did not make up the accounts? A. No, sir.

Q. How much did you make out of it? A. That I should decline to answer.

By Senator STANFORD.

Q. Can't you say what percentage of it, you received it yourself? A. No, sir; I would not say.

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. What were the names of these parties you divided with? A. I did not say there were others, but I declined to answer.

Q. Where were you paid? here in Albany? A. Yes, sir.

Q. The Auditor gave you what? A. I think they were checks signed by the Auditor and Comptroller.

Q. Under what act were they paid? A. Under a law of 1857; the State had had the benefit of this money eight or nine years.

By Senator STANFORD:

Q. When did you learn such an act was in existence? A. At the time I was closing up this work.

Q. You don't know at whose suggestion this law was passed? A. No, sir, I do not.

By Mr. MITCHELL:

Q. Who were the persons that received a share of this money that you collected, the interest upon the fifteen per cent? A. That I should decline to answer.

Q. For what reason? A. I stated before that it was my private business.

Q. That does not excuse you? A. Then I shall put it on the ground that it might tend to implicate myself in some way.

Q. Do you think it would form a link to criminate you or not? A. It might implicate me in some way—give me trouble.

Q. By disclosing those names have you any fear that it might in any way tend to criminate or disgrace you, or are you so advised by your counsel? Yes, sir.

Q. And for that reason you refuse to make any disclosure about the names? A. Yes sir.

Q. You collected these moneys by virtue of the law of 1857, chapter 734? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Entitled "An act for the payment of interest on certain moneys withheld from canal contractors," passed April 17th, 1857, and reading as follows:

"SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the Canal Commissioners on the final settlement of contracts made in pursuance of chapter three hundred and twenty nine of the laws of eighteen hundred and fifty-four, in cases where the State has suspended the work, to allow interest on the fifteen per cent retained from the monthly estimates made prior to such suspension, from and after ninety days after the time fixed by the contracts for the completion of the work.

§ 2. But no interest shall be allowed upon the contracts when the work has been declared abandoned by the Contracting Board in consequence of the neglect or refusal of the contractor or his bail, or either of them to prosecute the work."

Is that the act? A. I think it is, sir.

FRIDAY, *August 30th*, 1867.

The Committee met pursuant to adjournment of yesterday.

Present—Senator STANFORD and Mr. MITCHELL, counsel to the Committee.

FRED. J. WARBURTON appeared as stenographer.

William I. Skinner, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified :

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Little Falls.

Q. Were you a Canal Commissioner of this State? A. Yes, sir.

Q. For how long? A. Six years, commencing 1860.

Q. You had charge of the eastern division? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who was the Superintendent under you? A. The first year, I think, Mr. Dorn had the Erie canal, Mr. Welsh, I think, had the Champlain canal; I can't tell you who had the Black River, I have forgotten.

Q. You were well acquainted with the contractors through the State, that were in the habit of bidding for the work while you were Commissioner? A. I was a contractor, not in a very extensive way.

Q. You were well acquainted, while you were Commissioner, with the contractors? A. Yes, sir, I knew a good many of them, not all of them.

Q. You knew Mr. Dorn well? A. I knew him very well, was with him six years; he was on the canal all the time I was.

Q. Did you own a saw-mill at Little Falls? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you run that mill while you were Commissioner? A. I did.

Q. Was any portion of the lumber made at that mill sold to the State? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you run that mill all the while you were Commissioner? A. Yes, sir; I owned a mill for twenty-five years, during the time I was Commissioner, and before and since.

Q. Did you sell it directly to the State, or how was it furnished? A. Well, sir, I will tell you exactly how it was; the lumber was sold, but the vouchers were taken in my foreman's name; that is the truth of it, just as it was.

Q. Who was the foreman? A. His name is Sherman.

Q. Do you run the mill yet? A. I sold it last January.

Q. You ran it up to that time? A. Yes, sir.

Q. What amount of lumber do you think was furnished? A. I can't answer that.

Q. Quite a large amount? A. Well, some years it would not be very large and some years it would be larger; I can't answer it; I have been thinking of it since I have heard of this thing, and I can't tell how large it has been any year. I sold to all the parties—to the contractors and superintendent and all;—whoever wanted it I sold to.

Q. Did you also furnish lumber before you were Commissioner to the State? A. Yes, sir.

Q. In whose name were those vouchers taken? A. Those were taken in my own.

Q. What were the prices while you were Commissioner? A. Well, they were such prices as were paid at other places, and on the line of the canal; I governed my prices by the going prices.

Q. You did not then charge an extravagant price? A. I did not, sir; the prices were the same, everything considered, that I sold to other folks, and that the State paid other people.

Q. Did you have any interest in work while you were Commissioner? A. Never, not a dime, nowhere.

Q. Had no interest in the building of the Schoharie dam? A. Not a farthing.

Q. Were you presented by any one with a carriage? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who presented it? A. In January or February, after my term of office expired, Mr. John Hosch came to my house and said that my friends wanted to present me with a carriage—make me a present; I told him I had rather he would not; "Well," he said, "we never have given you anything or done anything for you, and we would like to give you a carriage," or something in that form, I can't tell exactly the words; I was sick in the house; I told him, "I had rather not, I am afraid by and bye something will come up; I don't want the carriage, I can buy one for myself;" well, he said, they meant to do it, and the carriage came there in the summer following, along, I should think, four or five or six months after.

Q. Do you know who the persons were? A. I do not, except what Mr. Hosch told me; I never asked, for I never really liked it.

Q. You have never used it? A. No, sir.

Q. Did you receive any money from the contractors? A. No, sir, I never received a dollar in the world.

Q. Directly or indirectly? A. No, sir.

Q. Or any other presents while you were Commissioner, from contractors or canal men? A. I got a chair that was sent to me.

Q. Anything of considerable value? A. No, sir.

Q. You never were paid money by them? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you know of anything that the people or this Committee ought to know as to any State officials receiving any money from contractors? A. No, sir, I do not.

Q. Do you know of Superintendents receiving money improperly? A. No, sir, I do not.

Q. Did you pay any Commissioner anything, or any Superintendent or contractor who purchased this lumber of you? A. No, sir; not a cent.

Q. Do you know of any irregularities or malfeasance in office that you can state? A. Well, I don't know that I do; to know it positively, is a close thing.

Q. Anything that would give any light to this Committee, I think it is a duty you owe that you should state it? A. I don't know of anything; I have thought it all over for some time; I never had any doubt that such things were going on; I used to think they cheated me sometimes, but I watched them as close as I could.

Q. You have no doubt that that had been going on? A. I have no doubt that little peculations have been going on.

Q. While you were Commissioner, did you know anything about contractors forming combinations to buy up bids? A. No, I did not.

Q. You have heard it since? A. I have, sir.

Q. But while you were Commissioner, did you know of any such case? A. I did not, sir.

Q. Or of their having access to the bids after they were put in, in order to make them informal? A. We used to be very particular; Mr. Wight was clerk for a long while, at Troy, and he never allowed anything to go out of his hands that I know of.

Q. During the time you were Commissioner and he was clerk, was there any such thing as any practice existing of the clerks showing bids to the contractors after they were put in and before you declared them off? A. Never that I know of.

Q. Would you consider that improper, that the bids should be examined by contractors after they were put in, before being disposed of? A. Yes, sir.

Q. It was your practice to have them kept secret? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Did you ever while you were Commissioner, give consent to have bids examined after they were put in? A. No, sir.

Q. Do you know of Mr. Dorn having any interest in contracts or work while he was Superintendent? A. No, sir, I do not.

Q. Or any other Superintendent? A. No, sir, I do not; I would not have allowed it if I had known it.

Q. Did you have any suspicion of that character, of any Superintendent? A. Well, I don't know that I can say I had.

Q. Did you know Mr. Van Slyke? A. Yes, sir, very well.

Q. Did he have a contract on the canal for repairs? A. The papers will tell that better than I can. There was a letting somewhere by which he got a contract, and it was transferred; I can't tell exactly how that was.

Q. Did you know of anybody having an interest with him? A. No, sir, I did not.

Q. Did you suspect anything of the kind? A. No, I thought he sold out; if he had it, I thought he sold out; I don't recollect whether he really owned it or not, but I got an impression that it was struck off to him at the bidding, and he transferred it to somebody, but the record in the office will show that better than I can tell it.

Q. I want you should state whether you know any fact that shows irregularity or mismanagement of the canals while you were Commissioner, and state it as fully as though you were particularly interrogated thereto? A. Well, we are all liable to mistakes; perhaps, I made a mistake while I was Commissioner in some of my management of the canal.

Q. I don't mean innocent mistakes, I mean fraudulent mistakes? A. I don't know of any that I could state were fraudulent mistakes.

Q. You only had suspicions? A. If I should say yes, I perhaps could not tell where those suspicions were. It wore me out, to tell you the truth; I got off the canal as quick as I could; things did not go at all to suit me, and I could not tell what was the matter.

Q. Things did not move as you would have them? A. No, sir; well, I was in the minority in the Board all the six years I was

there; I was on one side of politics, and they were on the other and the last year I was alone; the appointments were put upon me just as they saw fit. I had no voice except to vote, "No," when they made the appointments.

Q. What I desire to know is if you know of any favoritisms that were shown to certain contractors, or anything of that kind, or anything that would be of service to the State? A. No, sir; I don't know that I do; I can only say that where everything was equal, and I could help my political friends, I did it, just as others would do.

Q. Are you in poor health? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You came here to-day in company with your physician? A. Yes, sir.

Q. You did not feel able to come alone? A. That is the fact.

Q. If there are any facts that would give light either in reference to your own conduct or that of any other officials of the canals, I want you to state it? A. Well, I don't know that there is anything that I could state now. It is two years last April since I have been away from home. The balance of the year from 1865 to 1866, while I was in office, I did not attend at all, I was not able, and I have not left home since until to-day.

Richard T. Butler, called as a witness, and being duly sworn, testified:

By Mr. MITCHELL.

Q. Where do you reside? A. Schenectady.

Q. What is your business? A. I am a blacksmith by trade; I am in the carriage making business at present.

Q. Did you make a carriage that Commissioner Skinner had? A. We made a carriage and sent it to Commissioner Skinner.

Q. Who ordered it? A. Well, sir, I do not know; I think, however, it was Mr. Robert C. Dorn; the order was given to my partner; it was not given to me.

Q. Who paid for it? A. Well, if I remember right, Mr. Dorn paid for it.

Q. How much? A. \$750.

Q. When was that order left? A. I could not tell exactly; it was some where about the middle of May, 1866, I should think.

Q. When was it finished? A. If I remember right, it was shipped about the 25th of June, 1866.

Q. Did you make it as quick as that? Q. It was partially made before the order was given; it was not built entirely to order; it was in process of construction.

Q. Is that the first order you had for it? A. Yes, sir.

Q. Who were you building it for? A. We were not building it for anybody in particular; building it for sale?

Q. Are you right about 1866? A. I think I am; it is possible I may be mistaken just one year, but my impression is that it was 1866.

The Committee adjourned.

CONCLUSIONS
OF THE
SENATE COMMITTEE,
IN RELATION TO THE
CANAL FRAUDS.

To the Honorable the Constitutional Convention of the State of New York:

The undersigned, the Senate committee charged with the duty of inquiring into the management of the canals of this State and the departments, &c., connected therewith, respectfully furnish to the Convention, in compliance with your resolution, a copy of which is appended, the evidence taken before the Committee since the date of our former report, together with the following conclusions:

1st. The Committee state that the evidence taken before them, clearly establishes that frauds of great and alarming magnitude have, in various ways, been committed against the State in the management of its canals.

2d. That the present system of keeping the canals in repair by contract, has been and still is one of the most prolific sources of fraud, and the Committee believe that said system ought to be speedily changed or abandoned.

3d. That under the said contract system desperate combinations and conspiracies have been formed and successfully carried through, whereby large and important contracts have been secured at the con-

tractors' own prices. Of this character was the important letting of December 28, 1866, at Albany, and it is the opinion of this Committee that all contracts made and entered into by the State, based upon said letting, are fraudulent and void, and that both the interest and honor of the State demand the immediate and unqualified rescinding of said contracts.

4th. That under the aforesaid system very large sums of money have been fraudulently taken from the State, yet the canals have not been kept in proper repair but have been gradually passing into a state of dilapidation, and large expenditures will be soon required to put them in proper condition.

5th. The evidence heretofore and herewith submitted, discloses fully the many wicked and fraudulent devices and schemes by which the treasury of the State has been plundered, and shows clearly that the most guarded enactments should be resorted to to secure, in the future, an honest, efficient and economical administration of these important and invaluable public works.

6th. It is also the opinion of this Committee that all legal means should be resorted to by the State to redress the wrongs so boldly perpetrated against its vital interests.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

Dated August 31st, 1867.

CHARLES STANFORD,
JAMES GIBSON,
HENRY C. MURPHY,

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STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 96.

IN CONVENTION

August 22, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON COUNTIES, TOWNS AND VILLAGES, THEIR ORGANIZATION, GOVERNMENT AND POWERS, AS AMENDED IN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION, AND REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

ARTICLE.

1 SECTION 1. The Legislature shall not hereafter pass any law
2 authorizing any county, town, city, village, municipal corpo-
3 ration or other territorial division to give or appropriate any
4 money or property, or to lend its credit in any way in aid of or
5 to any private person, company or corporation, or take or be
6 interested in any stock therein, except as in this Constitution is
7 otherwise provided.

1 § 2. Counties, towns, and villages, shall severally possess and
2 exercise such powers of local taxation as now are or hereafter,
3 may be prescribed by law.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 97.

IN CONVENTION

'August 20, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE
RELATIVE TO LANDS GRANTED OR ACQUIRED
BY THE NORTHERN RAILROADS OF THE STATE.

To the Hon. WILLIAM A. WHEELER,

President of the Constitutional Convention

of the State of New York:

In obedience to the resolution presented by Mr. Seaver, and adopted by the Convention, August 8, 1867, requesting the Commissioners of the Land Office to transmit to the Convention a list of all the lands, &c., granted to or acquired by the Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, the Lake Ontario and Hudson River Railroad Company, and the Adirondack Company, the number of acres, &c., I beg leave to present the following report.

ERASTUS CLARK,

Clerk of the Commissioners of the Land Office.

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REPORT.

List of Lands purchased of the State by the Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, as patented by the Commissioners of the Land Office.

TOTTEN AND CROSSFIELD'S PURCHASE — TOWNSHIP NO. 6.

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
1,	560	August 14, 1855.
2,	640	do
3,	640	do
7,	560	do
8,	640	do
9,	640	do
13,	560	do
14,	640	do
15,	640	do
19,	189	do
20,	216	do
21,	216	do
22,	198	do
23,	589	do
25,	589	do
26,	566	do
28,	571	do
32,	592	do
35,	614	do
36,	606	do
39,	196	do
40,	196	do
45,	196	do
70,	196	do
71,	196	do

These lots are in *Hamilton county*, and distinguished as a part of *township No. 6*, being *eleven thousand four hundred and forty-six acres of land*.

One thousand acres in north-west corner of five thousand nine hundred acres in north-west corner of north half, in township No. 36 ; also,

Two thousand acres in south-east corner of four thousand six hundred and twenty-one thirty-three one-hundredth acres in the south-east corner of the south half of said township 36, in county of Hamilton.

TOWNSHIP 37.

Containing 13,306 $\frac{64}{100}$ acres in Hamilton county.

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
1,	122	August 17, 1855.
2,	160	do
3,	190	do
4,	98	do
5,	160	do
6,	160	do
7,	160	do
8,	166	do
9,	74	do
10,	160	do
12,	160	do
14,	160	do
16,	46	do
17,	160	do
18,	160	do
19,	160	do
20,	160	do
21,	160	do
22,	160	do
23,	160	do
24,	112	do
26,	173	do
28,	175.48	do
30,	177.52	do
32,	179.48	August 13, 1855.
34,	114	do
35,	172	do
36,	172	do
37,	172	do
38,	172	do
39,	172	do
40,	172	do
41,	172	do

TOWNSHIP 37 — (Continued).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
42,	172	August 13, 1855.
43,	172	do
44,	172	do
45,	237.5	do
47,	152	do
49,	152	do
51,	152	do
53,	152	do
55,	152	do
57,	190	do
59,	160	do
60,	160	do
61,	160	do
62,	160	do
63,	160	do
64,	160	do
65,	160	do
66,	160	do
67,	160	do
68,	160	do
69,	200	do
70,	203.2	do
71,	160	do
72,	160	do
73,	160	do
74,	160	do
75,	160	do
76,	160	do
77,	160	do
78,	160	do
79,	160	do
80,	160	do
81,	200	do
82,	203.2	do
83,	160	do
84,	160	do
85,	160	do
86,	160	do
87,	160	do
88,	160	do
89,	160	do
90,	160	do
91,	160	do
92,	160	do

TOWNSHIP 37 — (*Continued*).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
93,	200	August 13, 1855.
94,	203.4	do
107,	240	do
108,	240	do
109,	240	do
110,	240	do
111,	240	do
114,	240	do
115,	240	do
116,	240	do
117,	300	do
118,	304.2	do

TOWNSHIP No. 38.

Containing 6,851 acres of land in Hamilton county.

1,	140	August 20, 1855.
2,	214.35	do
3,	117.24	do
4,	140	do
5,	160	do
6,	160	do
7,	108.8	do
8,	82.55	do
9,	143.2	do
10,	164	do
11,	164	do
12,	164	do
13,	164	do
14,	146.6	do
15,	143.1	do
16,	164	do
17,	164	do
18,	164	do
19,	164	do
20,	140	do
21,	160	do
22,	160	do
23,	160	do
24,	160	do
25,	160	do
26,	160	do
27,	160	do
28,	140	do

TOWNSHIP No. 38 — (Continued).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
29,	160	August 20, 1855.
30,	160	do
31,	160	do
32,	160	do
33,	160	do
34,	160	do
35,	160	do
36,	160	do
37,	160	do
38,	145.76	do
39,	45.6	do
40,	164	do
41,	164	do
42,	118.2	do
43,	180.12	do
44,	82.88	do
45,	45.6	do
46,	127.3	do

TOWNSHIP 42.

Containing 16,338 $\frac{2}{3}$ acres in Herkimer and Hamilton counties,
being part of lot No. 42.

1,	209	August 16, 1855.
2,	225.5	do
3,	225.5	do
4,	225.5	do
5,	225.5	do
6,	225.5	do
7,	225.5	do
7,	225.5	do
8,	225.5	do
9,	225.5	do
10,	225.5	do
11,	225.5	do
12,	225.5	do
13,	225.5	do
14,	225.5	do
15,	225.5	do
16,	225.5	do
17,	225.5	do
18,	225.5	do
19,	225.5	do
20,	209	do

TOWNSHIP 42 — (*Continued*).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
64,	196.8	August 16, 1855.
65,	196.8	do
66,	196.8	do
67,	196.8	do
68,	196.8	do
69,	196.8	do
70,	182.4	do
71,	182.4	do
72,	196.8	do
73,	196.8	do
74,	196.8	do
75,	196.8	do
76,	196.8	do
77,	196.8	do
78,	196.8	do
79,	196.8	do
80,	196.8	do
81,	196.8	do
82,	196.8	do
83,	196.8	do
84,	196.8	do
85,	196.8	do
86,	196.8	do
87,	196.8	do
88,	196.8	do
89,	196.8	do
90,	182.4	do
91,	182.4	do
92,	196.8	do
93,	196.8	do
94,	196.8	do
95,	196.8	do
96,	196.8	do
97,	196.8	do
98,	196.8	do
99,	196.8	do
100,	196.8	do
101,	196.8	do
102,	196.8	do
103,	196.8	do
104,	196.8	do
105,	196.8	do
106,	196.8	do
107,	196.8	do

TOWNSHIP 42 — (Continued).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
108,	196.8	August 16, 1855.
109,	196.8	do
110,	182.4	do
111,	182.4	do
112,	196.8	do
113,	196.8	do
114,	196.8	do
115,	196.8	do
116,	196.8	do
117,	196.8	do
118,	196.8	do
119,	196.8	do
120,	196.8	do
121,	168	do
122,	168	do
123,	168	do
124,	168	do
125,	168	do

TOWNSHIP No. 43.

Embracing 140 Lots, containing 25,288 $\frac{1}{8}$ $\frac{3}{8}$ acres of land in Herkimer county.

OXBOW TRACT.

111,	154 $\frac{9}{16}$ $\frac{2}{8}$	October 12, 1855.
171,	154.92	do
172,	154.92	do
174,	184.92	do
198,	154.92	do
219,	379	do
223,	457.5	do
231,	500	do

MOOSE RIVER TRACT.

TOWNSHIP No. 4.

1,	168	October 2, 1855.
2,	168	do
3,	168	do
4,	168	do
5,	168	do
6,	168	do
11,	168	do

TOWNSHIP No. 4 — (*Continued*).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
12,	218	October 2, 1855.
13,	208	do
14,	160	do
19,	160	do
20,	160	do
21,	160	do
22,	160	do
23,	160	do
24,	112	do
25,	160	do
26,	160	do
27,	160	do
28,	160	do
29,	160	do
30,	160	do
35,	160	do
36,	160	do
37,	160	do
38,	160	do
43,	160	do
44,	160	do
45,	160	do
46,	160	do
47,	160	do
48,	160	do
49,	212	do
50,	212	do
51,	212	do
52,	212	do
53,	212	do
54,	212	do
58,	212	do
59,	212	September 2, 1855.
60,	212	do
61,	213	do
62,	213	do
63,	213	do
67,	355	do
68,	355	do
69,	355	do
70,	355	do
71,	355	do
72,	355	do
73,	355	do

TOWNSHIP No. 4 — (Continued).

Lots.	Acres.	When Patented.
74,	355	September 2, 1855.
75,	355	do
76,	355	do
77,	355	do
78,	355	do
91,	355	do
92,	355	do
93,	355	do
94,	355	do
95,	355	do
96,	355	do

The above lots in Hamilton county contain 14,120 acres.

Township No. 5, Moose River Tract, in Hamilton and Herkimer counties, 22,384 acres, August 20, 1855.

Township 38, in Hamilton and Herkimer counties, 20 lots, containing 4,886 acres of land ; also 1,000 acres on the northerly line of said township ; also 1,110 acres in town of Long Lake, granted September 27, 1855.

Township No. 3, Moose River Tract, counties of Hamilton and Herkimer, 79 lots, containing 13,072 acres, granted October 3, 1855,

Township No. 9, Moose River Tract, 1,680 $\frac{7}{8}$ acres, in Hamilton county, granted October 4, 1855.

Township No. 10, Moose River Tract, Hamilton county, 9,779 $\frac{27}{8}$ acres, granted October 8, 1855.

Township No. 9, Moose River Tract, Hamilton county, 4,182 acres, granted October 10, 1855.

Township No. 8, Totten & Crossfield's purchase, 3,648 acres, Hamilton county, granted October 8, 1855.

Township No. 22, Totten & Crossfield's purchase, Hamilton county, 16,620 acres, granted October 10, 1855.

Township No's. 1 and 2, Totten & Crossfield's purchase, Hamilton county, 1,388 $\frac{5}{8}$ acres, granted October 12, 1855.

8,417 acres in Hamilton county, being part of Watson's East Tract, granted October 13, 1855.

Township No. 3, Totten & Crossfield's purchase, county of Hamilton, containing 8,960 acres, granted July 15, 1855.

In Hamilton and Warren counties between townships 29 and 31, containing 6,984 acres, granted July 15, 1855.

In Warren county, Township No. 11, Literature lot, Townships 13 and 14, and Gospel and School Lot 13 and 14, comprising 15,974 acres, granted July 15, 1855.

Also certain lots of land in Warren and Essex counties, Township 14; also in West of Roads Patent; also in Paradox Tract, comprising 7,042 acres, granted July 15, 1855.

Summary.

<i>In August, September and October, 1855, in Hamilton and Essex counties, were granted,...</i>				
	205,202	acres	at 5	cts. per acre.
<i>In July, 1856, Hamilton county,...</i>	20,000	do	5	do
<i>Warren county, ..</i>	6,984	do	30	do
<i>July 15, 1856, Warren county, ..</i>	15,974	do	30	do
<i>Essex county,</i>	7,042	do	30	do
	<hr/> 255,202 acres. <hr/>			

No lands were granted by the State to the Lake Ontario and Hudson River Railroad Company, or to the Adirondack Company. The Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, subsequently to the acquisition of the aforesaid lands was merged in the Lake Ontario and Hudson River Company, and both companies were merged in the Adirondack Company, after the organization of that company, by virtue of chap. 236, Laws of 1863.

ERASTUS CLARK,

Clerk of the Commissioners of the Land Office.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 98.

IN CONVENTION

August 23, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE LEGISLATURE EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE REFERRED.

The Committee on the Powers and Duties of the Legislature
except as otherwise referred, respectfully

REPORT:

That in the discharge of their duties they have been somewhat embarrassed to determine definitely what particular subjects, under their organization, have been committed to their charge. A reference to the reports of other standing committees of this body, discloses the fact that such committees have labored under a similar embarrassment in regard to the duties which devolve upon them under the peculiar division of the several subjects made by the Convention. A necessary result of this uncertainty is that different committees have examined and in many instances reported upon the same subjects, thus furnishing to the Convention the benefits of the experience and judgments of more than one Committee in regard to such subject.

Your Committee have carefully and fully examined the several subjects which in their judgment were legitimately embraced in the range of their duties, and also such other matters as from time to time have been referred to them by the Convention, and after such examination have united in recommending the article accompanying this report, for adoption by the Convention.

It will be readily perceived that a considerable portion of this article consists of sections taken without change from the present Constitution of the State. Other sections from the present Constitution have been adopted by your Committee, with such modifications as, in the judgment of the Committee, are calculated to remedy defects and obviate evils which an experience of twenty years has disclosed in that instrument.

One essential object intended to be effected by a revision of the present Constitution, is to adopt such provisions of a general nature, as shall prevent the necessity of a resort to the Legislature in cases of private or local concernment, and thus diminish, so far as may be, the vast amount of legislation of that class with which the State has of late years been so largely deluged. In pursuit of this object your Committee have prepared and recommended for adoption by the Convention, divers sections which they believe will, to a great extent, remedy existing evils, and refer a large portion of this class of legislation to a tribunal, where the questions may be fairly and equitably disposed of upon just and liberal principles, and with a just and proper regard to the interests both of the State and of those insisting upon claims against it. If the Convention shall succeed in providing an adequate provision whereby all claims against the State, not arising in the ordinary administration of the State government, shall be withdrawn from the action of the Legislature, your Committee are satisfied that the labors of that body will be very materially lessened, and by removing this source of scandal its reputation will be protected and its dignity promoted.

Your Committee have also sought to remedy another evil existing in the Legislature of the State, by providing for the passage of general laws under which other large classes of objects may be safely provided for, which under the present order of things cumber the action of the Legislature, and furnish, to a large extent, material

which has been used to fasten upon that body an evil reputation. It is with these views and for this purpose, that your Committee have provided for withdrawing from the direct action of the Legislature, the class of private claims against the State, and requiring that they be submitted to another tribunal, having the power to examine the same fully, and the ability to decide them according to the very right of the case.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

GEO. RATHBUN, *Chairman.*

ARTICLE.

1 SEC. . The sessions of the Legislature shall be held bennially
2 only, at the Capitol of the State, or at such other place as shall
3 be by law directed, commencing on the first Tuesday in January,
4 1868, and on the same day on every second year thereafter. The
5 Governor may call special sessions of the Legislature by procla-
6 mation, in which shall be stated the particular object or objects
7 for which they are so called, and no business shall be transacted
8 at any such special session except such as shall be stated in the
9 proclamation calling the same. The Legislature shall not adjourn
10 for more than two weeks at any one time.

1 SEC. . No member of the Legislature shall receive any civil
2 appointment within this State from the Governor, the Governor
3 and Senate, or from the Legislature during the time for which
4 he shall have been elected, and all such appointments and all
5 votes given for any such member, for any such office or appoint-
6 ment shall be void.

1 SEC. . No person being a member of Congress, or holding
2 any judicial or military office under the United States, shall hold
3 a seat in the Legislature; and if any person shall, after his elec-
4 tion as a member of the Legislature, be elected to Congress or
5 appointed to any office, civil or military, under the Government
6 of the United States, his acceptance thereof shall vacate his seat.

1 SEC. . A majority of each house shall constitute a quorum
2 to do business. Each house shall determine the rules of its own
3 proceedings, and be the judge of the election returns and the qual-
4 ifications of its own members; shall choose its own officers, and
5 the Senate shall choose a temporary president who shall preside
6 when the Lieutenant Governor shall not attend as president, or
7 shall act as Governor. No member shall be expelled by either
8 house except by a vote of a majority of all the members elected
9 to such house, and no member shall be twice expelled for the
10 same offense.

1 SEC. . Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings,
2 and publish the same, except such parts as may require secrecy.
3 The doors of each house shall be kept open, except when the
4 public welfare shall require secrecy. Neither house without the
5 consent of the other shall adjourn for more than two days.

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1 SEC. . For any speech or debate, in either house of the
2 Legislature, the members shall not be questioned in any other
3 place.

1 SEC. . Any bill may originate in either house of the Legis-
2 lature, and all bills passed by one house may be amended by the
3 other.

1 ART. 3.—SEC. 14. The enacting clause of all bills shall be
2 “The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate
3 and Assembly, do enact as follows,” and no law shall be enacted
4 or money or property be appropriated except by bill.

1 ART. 3.—SEC. 15. No bill shall be passed, unless by the
2 assent of a majority of all the members elected to each branch of
3 the Legislature; and the question upon the final passage shall be
4 taken immediately upon its reading, and the yeas and nays
5 entered in the journal.

1 SEC. . No law shall embrace more than one subject and the
2 matters necessarily connected therewith, which subject shall be
3 expressed in its title.

1 SEC. . No bill shall be introduced into either house of the
2 Legislature during the last five days of the session.

1 SEC. . After a bill has been finally rejected by either branch
2 of the Legislature, no bill or joint resolution containing the same
3 substance shall be passed into a law during the same session.

1 SEC. . No law shall be revised, altered or amended by
2 reference to its title only, but the act revised, or the section or

3 sections thereof altered or amended, shall be re-enacted and pub-
4 lished at length, and the act so revised, or the part or parts
5 thereof so altered or amended shall be repealed.

1 SEC. . The presiding officer of each house shall sign, pub-
2 licly, in the presence of the house over which he presides, while
3 the same is in session and capable of transacting business, all
4 bills and joint resolutions passed by the Legislature, and the same
5 shall not be so signed until they are fully enrolled.

1 SEC. . On the day of its final adjournment the Legislature
2 shall adjourn at twelve o'clock, at noon.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not appropriate, lend or give
2 any of the money or property of the State to or for any charita-
3 ble institution, purpose or object, except such as have been or
4 shall be established by and be owned and controlled solely by
5 the State, except the following; the New York institution for
6 the blind; the New York State institution for the blind; the
7 society for the reformation of juvenile delinquents in New York;
8 the New York institution for the deaf and dumb.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not give, lend or appropriate
2 any of the money of the State in any manner to or for the use
3 of any person, body of persons, association or corporation, except
4 such appropriations as are allowed by sections of this Article.

1 SEC. . The credit of the State shall not in any manner, nor
2 for any purpose be given or lent to any person, body of persons,
3 association or corporation, nor shall the State take or be inter-
4 ested in any stock of any company or corporation, except in
5 payment of or as security for a debt previously due the State.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall pass no law authorizing any
2 county, town, city, village, or other municipal corporation, to
3 give or appropriate any money or property, or to lend its credit
4 in any way in aid of, or to any private person, company or cor-
5 poration, or take or be interested in any stock therein.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not audit or allow any private
2 claim or account against the State, or pass any special law in
3 relation thereto, except to appropriate money to pay such claims
4 as shall have been audited and allowed according to law.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall provide by law for creating a
2 court of claims, to consist of three judges, to be appointed on the
3 nomination of the Governor, by and with the advice and consent
4 of the Senate, in which court shall be adjudicated all such claims
5 against the State as the Legislature shall, from time to time, by
6 general laws direct. Such claims shall be tried without a jury.
7 In all cases where such claims shall amount to five hundred dol-
8 lars or more, and be for the value of or damages to real estate,
9 the judges of said court shall, and in all other cases, may view

10 the property in question, and in deciding thereon shall consider
11 their own estimate of such value or damages in connection with
12 the evidence in the case. In all other respects such court shall
13 be governed in its adjudications by the legal rules which have
14 heretofore existed between the State and its citizens, according
15 to the course and practice of the common law as modified by the
16 statutes of this State.

1 SEC. . The statute of limitations shall prevail in favor of
2 the State the same as in favor of individuals. The decisions of
3 such court may be reviewed on the law on appeal to the Court
4 of Appeals. The judges of said court shall hold their offices for
5 the term of five years, unless sooner removed according to law.

1 SEC. . There shall be a solicitor of claims, to be appointed
2 in the same manner as the judges of the court of claims, whose
3 duty it shall be to take charge of the interests of the State in all
4 matters depending before the court of claims.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not grant any extra compen-
2 sation to any public officer, servant, agent or contractor after the
3 service shall have been rendered, or the contract entered into,
4 nor increase or diminish the compensation of any public officer,
5 agent, contractor or servant during his time of service.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not sell, lease, or otherwise
2 dispose of any of the canals or salt springs of the State, but they

3 shall remain the property of the State and under its management
4 forever. The aggregate quantity of land now connected with
5 the salt springs shall not be diminished.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall provide by law for making all
2 the common schools within this State free, and requiring all
3 children in the State to be educated.

1 SEC. . The Legislature may confer upon the Boards of
2 Supervisors of the several counties of the State, such powers of
3 local legislation and administration as it shall from time to time
4 by general laws, applicable to all the counties in the State, pre-
5 scribe, and while such powers remain in said Boards of Super-
6 visors the Legislature shall not exercise any portion thereof.
7 The Legislature may alter, modify or repeal such laws.

1 SEC. . The Legislature may declare the cases in which any
2 office shall be deemed vacant, when no provision is made for
3 that purpose in this Constitution, and shall provide for filling
4 vacancies in office, and in case of elective offices, no person
5 appointed to fill a vacancy shall hold his office by virtue of such
6 appointment longer than the commencement of the political year
7 next succeeding the first annual election after the happening of
8 the vacancy.

1 SEC. . Provision shall be made by law for the removal, for
2 misconduct or malversation in office, of all officers (except judi-
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3 cial), whose powers and duties are not local or legislative, and
4 who shall be elected at general elections, and also for supplying
5 vacancies created by such removal.

1 **SEC.** When the duration of the term of any office is not
2 provided for by this Constitution, it may be declared by law,
3 and if not so declared such office shall be held during the pleas-
4 ure of the authority making the appointment.

1 **SEC.** The Legislature shall not exempt any property from
2 taxation, except churches, burial grounds, and that of free colleges
3 and incorporated academies, and of all common or public schools
4 organized pursuant to the laws of this State and subject to the
5 supervision of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

1 **SEC.** The political year and Legislative term shall com-
2 mence on the first day of January.

1 **SEC.** The Legislature may from time to time make general
2 laws for the formation of corporations and alter or repeal the same,
3 and all corporations hereafter to be created (except those for
4 municipal purposes) shall be formed under such general laws.
5 The Legislature shall not hereafter alter or amend the charter or
6 extend the powers of any corporation (except municipal corpora-
7 tions) by any special law.

1 **SEC.** The term corporation, as used in this Constitution,
2 shall be construed to include all associations and joint stock asso-

3 ciations or companies having any of the powers and privileges
4 of corporations not possessed by individuals or partnerships. All
5 corporations shall have the right to sue and be subject to be sued
6 in all courts, in like cases as natural persons.

1 SEC. . No railroad shall hereafter be constructed or ope-
2 rated within any of the cities or incorporated villages of this State,
3 until the consent of the local authorities of such city or village
4 shall be first obtained for that purpose, and also the consent of
5 the owners of at least one-half in value of the property on the
6 line of the streets through or over which the same shall be con-
7 structed, be previously had and obtained for that purpose; or in
8 case the consent of such property owners be not obtained, then
9 with the consent of the general term of the Supreme Court of
10 the district in which such road shall be located to be first ob-
11 tained; such consent to be obtained and authenticated in such
12 manner as the Legislature shall by general law for that purpose
13 provide. The franchise allowing such railroad to be operated,
14 shall be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, after three
15 months public notice, describing the route of such railroad, in
16 the State paper, and in such newspapers in the city or village
17 where said railroad shall be located as the Legislature shall
18 direct. The whole avails of such sale shall belong to the city or
19 village in which said railroad shall be located.

1 **SEC.** Every bill which shall have passed the Legislature
2 shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the Governor. If
3 he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it with his
4 objections to that House in which it shall have originated, which
5 shall enter the objections at large on its journal and proceed to
6 reconsider it. After such reconsideration two-thirds of the mem-
7 bers elected to such House shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be
8 sent, together with the objections, to the other House, by which
9 it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds
10 of all the members elected to such House, it shall become a law
11 notwithstanding the objections of the Governor. But in all such
12 cases the votes in both Houses shall be determined by ayes and
13 noes, and the names of the members voting for and against the
14 bill shall be entered on the journal of each House respectively.
15 If any bill shall not be returned by the Governor within ten days
16 (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the
17 same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless
18 the Legislature by its adjournment prevents its return, in which
19 case it shall not be a law. And no bill shall become a law
20 unless approved and signed by the Governor during the continu-
21 ance of the session of the Legislature, at which the same was
22 passed, or the same be returned by him with his objections and
23 the same be reconsidered and passed as aforesaid.

1 **SEC.** The Legislature shall have no power to pass any law
2 sanctioning in any manner, directly or indirectly, the suspension

8 of specie payment by any person, association or corporation issu-
4 ing bank notes of any description.

1 SEC. . No office shall be created for weighing, gauging,
2 culling or inspecting any merchandise, manufactures, produce or
3 commodity whatever, but nothing in this section contained shall
4 affect any office created for the purpose of protecting the public
5 health or the interests of the State in its property, revenue, tolls
6 or purchases, or of supplying the people with correct standards
7 of weights and measures, or shall prevent the creation of any
8 offices for such purposes hereafter.

1 SEC. . The Legislature may, on application of the Board of
2 Supervisors, provide for the election of local officers, not to exceed
3 two in any county, to discharge the duties of county judge and
4 of Surrogate, in cases of their inability or of a vacancy, and to
5 exercise such other powers in special cases as may be provided
6 by law.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall provide for the speedy publi-
2 cation of all statute laws and of such judicial decisions as it may
3 deem expedient. And all laws and judicial decisions shall be
4 free for publication by any person.

1 SEC. . No bill for any local or private purpose shall be
2 introduced into the Legislature unless notice of the application
3 therefor, stating the substance thereof, shall have been published

4 in the State paper for twenty days before the commencement of
5 the session of the Legislature at which such application shall be
6 made. No such bill shall be introduced into the Legislature
7 except during the first sixty days of the session.

1 Sec. ' . The Legislature shall not pass local or special laws
2 in either of the following cases :

3 Granting divorces ;

4 Authorizing the sale, mortgaging or leasing of the real prop-
5 erty of minors or other persons under disability ;

6 Changing the names of persons ;

7 For laying out, working or discontinuing public or private
8 roads or highways ;

9 For locating or changing county seats ;

10 For legalizing, except as against the State, the unauthorized
11 or invalid acts of any officer ;

12 For granting to any individual, association or corporation the
13 right to lay down railroad tracks in the streets of any city or
14 village ;

15 Giving effect to informal or invalid deeds or wills ;

16 In any case for which provision has been made by any exist-
17 ing general law.

18 And the Legislature shall pass general laws providing for the
19 cases enumerated in this section, and for all other cases where a
20 general law can be made applicable.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 99.

IN CONVENTION

August 27, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE PARDONING POWER AS
REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE,
ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION, AND REFERRED TO
THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

1 SECTION . The Governor shall have the power to grant
2 reprieves, commutations and pardons after conviction, for all
3 offenses except treason and cases of impeachment, upon such
4 conditions and with such restrictions and limitations as he may
5 think proper, subject to such regulations as may be provided by
6 law relative to the manner of applying for pardons. Upon con-
7 viction for treason he shall have power to suspend the execution
8 of the sentence until the case shall be reported to the Legisla-
9 ture at its next meeting, when the Legislature shall either pardon
10 or commute the sentence, direct the execution of the sentence,

11 or grant a further reprieve. He shall annually communicate to
12 the Legislature each case of reprieve, commutation or pardon
13 granted ; stating the name of the convict, the crime of which he
14 was convicted, the sentence and its date, and the date of the
15 commutation, pardon or reprieve.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 100.

IN CONVENTION

August 27, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON MILITIA AND MILITARY OFFICERS, AS REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, AMENDED AND ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION, AND REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. A militia force shall be maintained in order to
2 repel invasion, suppress insurrection and to aid in the enforce-
3 ment of the laws; and for this purpose all able bodied male citi-
4 zens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, shall be
5 annually enrolled under such regulations as shall be established
6 by law.

1 SEC. 2. The militia shall be divided into the active and reserve
2 forces. The active militia shall be designated the National Guard
3 of the State of New York; its number shall be fixed by law, and

4 it shall be at all times armed, equipped and disciplined. All
5 enrolled persons not belonging to the National Guard shall con-
6 stitute the reserve force: All persons who shall after one year's
7 service have been honorably discharged from the army or navy
8 or volunteer forces of the United States shall be, in time of
9 peace, exempt from service in the militia; and all such inhabi-
10 tants of this State, of any religious denomination whatever, as
11 from scruples of conscience may be averse to bearing arms, may
12 be exempt therefrom upon such conditions as may be provided
13 by law.

1 SEC. 3. The Governor shall be Commander-in-Chief of all
2 the militia forces of the State; he shall appoint the chiefs of the
3 several staff departments, his aids-de-camp and military secre-
4 tary, all of whom shall hold office during his pleasure, their com-
5 missions to expire with the term for which the Governor shall
6 have been elected. The Governor shall nominate, and with the
7 consent of the Senate, appoint all major-generals and the com-
8 missary-general. The commissary-general shall give security for
9 the faithful execution of the duties of his office, in such manner
10 and amount as shall be prescribed by law.

1 SEC. 4. General officers shall appoint their own staff officers,
2 who shall hold office during the pleasure of such general officers,
3 but their commissions shall expire with the commissions of the
4 officers appointing them. All officers of the militia shall be com-

5 missioned by the Governor, and no commissioned officer, except
6 those who hold office during the pleasure of the Governor or of
7 general officers, shall be removed from office unless by the Sen-
8 ate, on the recommendation of the Governor, stating the grounds
9 on which such removal is recommended, or by the sentence of a
10 general court martial. All commissions shall expire in ten years
11 from their dates, except those of the National Guard Reserves.

1 SEC. 5. The commissioned, and non-commissioned officers
2 of companies shall be chosen by the written votes of the members
3 of their respective companies ; and field officers of regiments and
4 separate battalions by the written votes of the commissioned offi-
5 cers of their respective regiments or separate battalions, and
6 brigadier-generals by the field officers of their respective brigades ;
7 but whenever the militia shall be in active service, such right of
8 election shall be suspended and all commissioned officers shall be
9 appointed by the Governor, and non-commissioned officers, by the
10 regimental or separate battalion commanders on the recommen-
11 dation of their company commanders. Regimental and separate
12 battalion commanders shall appoint their own staff officers. All
13 officers not specified in this Article shall be appointed as may be
14 prescribed by law ; and in case the election and appointment of
15 militia officers in the manner directed by this Article shall not
16 be found conducive to the improvement of the militia, the Legis-
17 lature may change the same by law, provided two-thirds of the
18 members elected to each House shall concur therein.

1 SEC. 6. In the organization of the National Guard, the Legisla-
2 ture shall provide for including therein a list of reserve officers to be
3 composed of officers of the National Guard, of not less than ten years
4 service in the same grade, and of officers honorably discharged
5 from the volunteer service of the United States who may be citizens
6 of this State. They may upon application be commissioned by the
7 Governor with rank equal to the highest held by them, by brevet
8 or otherwise, in the National Guard or United States Volunteers
9 and they may be assigned to such service and be entitled to such
10 military privileges and exemptions as the Legislature shall by law
11 provide.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 101.

IN CONVENTION

August 27, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE LEGISLATURE, EXCEPT AS TO MATTERS OTHER- WISE REFERRED.

The undersigned do not assent to the section of the report which prohibits the donation of moneys for charitable purposes, by the legislative and local authorities, as framed in the report. The memorials which have been presented to the Convention, seem to indicate that the crying evil sought to be remedied, is the donation of moneys for sectarian purposes, by means of which, it is charged, unjust discriminations are made. If such complaints be well founded, the causes thereof should be removed, but the sections proposed by the majority of the Committee in reference to this subject, seem to us too broad and sweeping. The projects of biennial sessions of the Legislature, and of the establishment of a court of claims, are so new and have been so little the subject of discussion, that at present we are unprepared to decide upon their expediency or recommend their adoption. We are willing to submit those matters to the consideration of the Convention, reserving the privilege of taking such action in regard thereto as we may think proper. The undersigned also

object to that section which provides for the formation of corporations except by general law. Many objections to this provision will doubtless suggest themselves to the minds of members of the Convention. We think also that as there are a large number of corporations created by special charter, and having special powers, the clause prohibiting the Legislature from altering or extending the powers of corporations except by general law, might operate prejudicially upon, and ought not to be applied to such corporations.

The undersigned do not concur in the reasons given by the majority of the Committee for refusing to embrace in their report any provisions bearing on the subject of legislative interference with the government of cities, namely, that in their judgment the Committee had no jurisdiction or cognizance of such matters. The undersigned do not admit the force of the objection. Resolutions bearing upon this very subject have been referred by the Convention to this Committee, and have been considered by them. We think that the subject is within our control, and that it is our duty to call the attention of the Convention to it. The undersigned are in favor of inserting in the Constitution, clauses which shall prohibit the Legislature from again evading the clear provision of the Constitution, and usurping authority not designed to be conferred upon it. We recommend the adoption of provisions which shall prevent the Legislature from altering the civil divisions of the State, and from uniting one division of the State with another, or part of another, thereby creating an anomalous district or division, and thus securing to itself the power of creating new offices not known to the Constitution, and of selecting the individuals to fill such offices, at the expense of the rights of the people. We object to the exercise by the Legislature of the power to create commissions and local boards to exercise municipal powers within the territorial limits of any of the cities of the State, or to confer the appointment of the officers to fill such boards and commissions upon the Executive of the States. These boards and commissions are not necessary, are not required, and are adverse to the interests of the localities over which they are created; they are expensive, and largely increase taxation; they are made the instruments of advancing partisan and political interests, and are objectionable for many other reasons.

If these or similar local boards and commissions are to be

retained, they should be so only upon the condition that the officers thereof shall be elected by the people, or appointed by the elected authorities of the city within which their duties and powers are to be exercised and performed. It may not be out of place to call the attention of the Convention to some facts connected with the history of the legislation of the State on the subject above referred to. In 1857, the Legislature, by act of April 15th of that year, created what is now known as the Board of Metropolitan Police, and placed the power of selecting the Commissioners in the hands of the Executive of the State. The question of the constitutionality of the law came before the Court of Appeals, in the case of the People, &c., against Draper and others, which will be found reported in 15 New York Reports, page 538. The ground of unconstitutionality claimed was that the existing Constitution provided that all city or county officers should be elected by the people of the city or county, or appointed by the authorities thereof as the Legislature might declare or direct, and that these commissioners so created were in fact city or county officers, and that if not, then that the act was unconstitutional for the reason that the Legislature had no right to create new and anomalous divisions of the State. That court held that there was nothing in the Constitution which prevented the Legislature from uniting a city, county, town or village with some other of such divisions, or part or parts of such divisions, and that a new district would thereby be created, the officers of which would be neither county, city, town or village officers, but would be officers of such new district, and therefore could be elected or appointed in such manner as the Legislature should direct.

It will thus be seen that if the Legislature add any territory, no matter how small, to the territory of any city, county, town or village, they create a new district, and that by this device the Legislature may deprive the people of the original locality of the power of electing such officers or of having them appointed by the local authorities thereof. In the exercise of this jurisdiction the Legislature has since 1857, united different counties or parts of counties in the State, and exercise over these new districts, jurisdiction similar to that exercised over the people of the city of New York, under the act of 1857, above referred to, as will be seen by reference to the act. In order to show that the institution of this Metropolitan Police Board in the city of New York has largely increased the

taxation in the city of New York, we refer to the following statement which proves that for nine years preceding 1857, the gross amount paid by that city for police purposes amounted to \$5,980,000, while the amount paid for the nine years during which such Board has been in operation in said city is \$15,723,618.26; showing that while before the act of 1857, the average annual expense was \$644,444.44, since that time the average annual expense has been \$1,747,068.69.

	CITY AUTHORITIES.		PRESENT COMMISSIONERS.
1849	\$479,000 00	1858	\$888,548 60
1850	492,000 00	1859	1,242,789 00
1851	510,000 00	1860	1,381,125 00
1852	540,000 00	1861	1,718,790 00
1853	615,000 00	1862	1,764,712 00
1854	872,000 00	1863	1,766,422 00
1855	819,000 00	1864	1,836,120 27
1856	828,000 00	1865	2,524,056 00
1857	825,000 00	1866	2,601,054 99
	<hr/> \$5,980,000 00		<hr/> \$15,723,618 26

Among the reasons given for taking from the city the control of its police was its alleged partisan character, and the great expense of its maintenance. Before 1857, the police department was controlled by three commissioners elected by the people of the city, and accountable to them for their actions, viz: the Mayor, Recorder and City Judge, and the expense never, in any one year, exceeded \$372,000. Now it is controlled by a bitter partisan commission, appointed by the Governor and Senate, totally irresponsible to the people for its acts, and the annual expense of which for the year 1866 was \$2,601,054.99, which is \$631,390.77 more than the amount required to be raised by taxation for the support of the entire city government for the same year, and that too in the face of the fact that the population of the city had in the preceding five years, according to the Depew census, decreased 87,283. This mere statement will be sufficient to show whether the reasons urged for this unjust and tyrannical action toward the city of New York, were well founded. Were time afforded, all the other reasons alleged for depriving the people of the city of New York of the power of regulating its own police,

could be shown to be unfounded and mere pretenses. It may not be known to the Convention to what extent the Legislature has exercised the power of governing the city of New York by means of local boards or commissioners, whose members and officers are elected by the Legislature and who are not responsible to the people for their conduct. For the purpose of calling the attention of the Convention to this important subject, and of showing how unfairly the city of New York is treated, we refer to the following facts: the Board of Supervisors of the city and county of New York is nothing more nor less than a State Commission, composed of members half of whom are elected by the people and the other half of whom are appointed by the Mayor, after the useless formality of receiving the vote of a minority of the electors of the county, no matter how small the minority may be. Such a singular anomaly under a republican form of government, as a legislative body half elected and half appointed, we will venture to say was never dreamed of by the founders of our system of government.

In addition to the Commissioners of Police and Excise, there are the following different Commissioners and Boards exercising jurisdiction within the limits of the city:

The Commissioners of Charities and Corrections. Act April 17, 1860.

The Central Park Commissioners. Act April 17, 1857.

The Fire Department Commissioners. Act 1865, March 3.

Commissioners of Pilots. Act 1853, June 28. And Harbor Commissioners. Act March 30, 1855.

Harlem Bridge Commissioners. 1857, April 17; 1858, April 16; 1861, chapter 291.

Commissioners for new Court House. 1861, April 10.

Commissioners for laying out the city north of 155th street.

Port Wardens. 1857, April 14.

Commissioners for erecting a New Market.

Commissioners for Cleaning Streets.

Commissioners for improving Broadway. Act 1866, chapter 86.

It only remains to create one or two more boards or commissions, as for instance, a Wharf, Pier and Slip Commission; a New Market Commission and a Ferry Commission, in order totally to disfranchise the people of that city, so far as the government and management of their own affairs are concerned.

The Legislature of 1866, by act, chapter 867, created a Commission for the improvement of Broadway, composed of the members of the Croton Aqueduct Board and two private citizens, selected by the Governor; which Commission was authorized to incur expenses and make contracts, for which the city was made liable.

The fourth section of that act gave the said Commissioners the power of rejecting any or all of the plans or proposals submitted to them, and, under the powers thus conferred, that Commission made a contract to perform the proposed work for the sum of \$372,793; to which was added the small sum of \$18,024 for salaries for surveyor, clerk and inspector, advertising, printing, stationery, *counsel fees* and contingencies, making a total of the small sum of \$390,817, for completing the work. The city authorities have, as we understand, repeatedly asked the Legislature to sanction an appropriation for the performance of this identical work, of the sum of \$100,000, which amount was based upon estimates made by competent persons of its probable cost; and while the Legislature refused to sanction such appropriation, it now, by the fifth section of the act referred to, which is mandatory in its character, compels the city to raise and pay the sum of \$390,817, of which, as has been shown, near \$20,000 is for the salaries and expenses above mentioned.

We have already alluded to the fact, that by reason of the action of the Legislature complained of, the taxes paid by the people of the city have been greatly increased, to what extent, we hope will be satisfactorily exhibited by the schedules hereafter given. We desire, however, to call attention to the fact, that of the entire amount required to be raised for the annual support of the government of the city of New York, more than three-quarters is disbursed by persons appointed by the State, who are in no way responsible to the people for the amount they expend, or the manner of the expenditure. To prove the assertion we submit the following statement, based upon the Comptroller's estimate for 1867:

Expenditures by State Commissions or Boards.

Department of Charities and Correction,	\$965,267 51
Department of Metropolitan Police,	73,000 00
Board of Education,	2,522,000 00
Street Cleaning Commission,	504,251 86
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Carried forward,	\$4,064,519 87

Brought forward,.....	\$4,064,519 37
Commission for repaving Broadway,.....	390,817 90
Metropolitan Board of Health,.....	40,500 00
Metropolitan Fire Department,.....	700,000 00
Central Park, Maintenance and Government,.....	215,000 00
Central Park (payment of interest),.....	605,321 24

Total by commissions on city account,..... \$6,016,157 61

To this amount, imposed by the State upon the people of this city on city account, and expended by commissions of its own creation, the following additional sums, imposed and expended in a similar manner on county and other accounts is added, in order to exhibit the entire sum taxed by the State upon the city and county and expended through the agency of commissions:

Metropolitan Police,.....	\$2,601,054 99
Metropolitan Board of Health,....	74,876 47
College of New York,.....	114,000 00
Asylums, &c. (by State laws),....	176,466 00
	<u>2,966,397 46</u>

Total by State Com'ns, &c., for city and county,...	\$8,982,555 07
General expenses of Board of Supervisors,.....	1,189,095 00
Interest on county debt,.....	761,408 24

Total by State commissions and county legislature,.	\$10,933,058 31
Add city portion of State tax,.....	3,375,237 97

Total for 1867, disbursed by the State and taxed upon the people of this city,..... \$14,308,296 28

The disbursements of the city, over which the local authorities exercise control, are as follows:

Expenditures by City Government.

Legislative Department,.....	\$385,016 65
Mayoralty,	47,500 00
Finance Department,.....	452,000 00
Street Department,.....	1,886,675 00
Croton Aqueduct Department,.....	726,892 00

Carried forward,..... \$3,498,083 65

Brought forward,	\$3 498,083 65
Law Department,	70,800 00
Board of Assessors,	7,200 56
Board of Revision and Correction of Assessment, ..	8,000 00
City Courts,	191,080 56
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Total expenditures under control of Common Council,	\$3,769,664 22
Interest on city debt (less on Central Park),	628,560 00
Redemption of city debt in 1867,	692,420 69
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	\$5,085,644 91
Less receipts of the corporation,	1,800,000 00
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	\$3,285,644 91
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Total for expenses of the city,	\$1,969,664 22
To which add interest on city debt and redemption of the portion of the debt falling due in 1867, payable by taxation in 1867,	1,315,980 69
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Making the total disbursement on city account,	\$3,285,644 91
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Total expenses of city government, exclusive of payment of interest on city debt and redemption of principal, payable in 1867,	\$3,769,664 22
Deduct income of corporation,	1,800,000 00
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Total expenses of the city government for 1867, taxed upon the people,	\$1,969,664 22
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By including the county expenditure for the year 1867, as above, the amount to be expended in the city and county by State agencies during the year 1867, will be \$10,933,058.31; or, if we deduct the amount directly under the control of the county government and include only the amount expended by boards or commissions appointed by the Governor and Senate, then the amount will be \$8,982,555.07, to which add the amount of State tax, viz: \$3,375,239.07, and it will be seen that the whole amount of tax levied on the people of this city and disbursed by and for the State, independent of either the *city* or *county* government is \$12,357,797.04.

To recapitulate, and in order more clearly to put the case so that it may the more readily be understood, the following aggregates are presented :

Whole amount of money required for city government for 1867,.....	\$3,769,664 22
Whole amount of money required for State commissions for 1867,.....	8,982,555 07
Whole amount of money required for State tax for 1867,.....	3,375,237 97
Whole amount of money required for county government (including interest),.....	1,950,503 24
Whole amount of money required for redemption of city debt,.....	692,420 69
Whole amount of money required for interest on city debt,	623,560 00
Total for State, city, county and commissions,.....	<u>\$19,393,941 19</u>
Deduct income of corporation,.....	<u>1,800,000 00</u>
Total required to be raised by taxation,.....	<u><u>\$17,593,941 19</u></u>
The entire sum required for the support and maintenance of the city government for the present year (exclusive of interest on and redemption of the city debt for the year 1867) is as above,.	
	\$3,769,664 22
Less income of the city as above,.....	<u>1,800,000 00</u>
Total taxation required for support of city government for 1867 (exclusive of debts and interest),.	<u><u>\$1,969.664 22</u></u>

Or, in other words, of \$17,593,941.19 to be raised by tax for the present year, the city government is responsible directly only for the expenditure of \$1,969,664.22; or, if we include the amount required for the payment of interest on the city debt, and the redemption of the amount of principal falling due this year, the entire amount that will be required is \$3,285,644.91.

The moneys expended by the county government are necessarily included in the foregoing comparison. It is unavoidable, in order to arrive at an easy comprehension of the case, and to show the manner

of the expenditure of all the moneys of the people of the city realized by taxation. But *one* valuation of their real and personal property is made for State, city and county purposes, upon which to base the rate of taxation, and but *one* rate is fixed for the imposition of the tax for the support and maintenance of the *city* and *county* governments, and the payment of our portion of the *State* tax; a fact that leads to the misapprehension that the *city* government is responsible for the whole amount of money taxed upon the people. The injustice thus done the *city* government must be admitted by every candid person acquainted with these facts, as it is above clearly shown that the government of the city, so far as it is administered by the direct representatives of the people in the common council, through the legislative, street, Croton aqueduct, finance and law departments and the city courts or judiciary, will be supported for the present year for the sum of \$3,769,664.22 of which only the sum of \$1,969,664.22 is raised by taxation, while the amount that will be required for State purposes, and the support of that part of the government intrusted to commissions appointed by the State, including the amount expended by the Board of Supervisors will be \$14,308,296.28. As no estimate has been submitted by the comptroller of the city for the new county court house and Harlem bridge, in all probability the Legislature will add the amount asked for by these commissions, which will increase the last-mentioned amount to at least \$15,000,000.

To simplify the case still more, and to give it so that the most limited understanding cannot fail to comprehend it at a glance, it is only necessary to state that the above figures show that for **EVERY DOLLAR** raised by tax and disbursed by the city government, and for which it is directly responsible to the people, more than **SEVEN DOLLARS** is expended by State agencies, subject to no control whatever, and for the expenditure of which State disbursing officers are relieved from all responsibility.

✓ The evils complained of and herein set forth are all attributable to and consequent upon the exercise by the Legislature of power and authority over the city and county of New York, never intended to be conferred, and the unfair and tyrannical exercise of such power. We submit that it is the duty of the Convention to insert such clauses in the Constitution as will prohibit the Legislature from

destroying the civil and political divisions of counties, cities, towns and villages into which this State is divided, and from creating other or different divisions thereof, except such as may be necessary for the purpose of Senate, Assembly or Judicial districts; and that the Legislature ought also to be prohibited from creating any officer, or board, or body of persons to perform or exercise, or authorize or empower any such officer, board or body of persons to perform or exercise jurisdiction and authority within or over any city of this State, in connection with any other city, county, town, village or part or parts thereof; and that the Legislature should also be prohibited from creating any officer, or board or body of persons to exercise jurisdiction within and over the territory or people of any city of the State, unless such officer and the members of such board or body be elected by the people of the said city, or appointed by the elected municipal authorities thereof. Believing that these subjects are strictly and properly within the jurisdiction of the Committee, we present this report for the consideration of the Convention.

ANTHONY L. ROBERTSON,
J. E. BURRILL.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 102.

IN CONVENTION

August 27, 1867.

COMMUNICATION

FROM FREEMAN CLARKE FROM THE COMMITTEE ON
FINANCE, IN RELATION TO REPORT PREVIOUSLY
MADE BY HIM.

ROCHESTER, *August 26, 1867.*

HON. W. M. A. WHEELER, *President Constitutional Convention :*

Sir—I have just noticed a mistake in the report submitted by me on the 8th inst., caused by a clerical error. I shall not, probably, on account of illness, be able to be in Albany before Thursday or Friday next, and as the financial reports are made the special order for to-morrow, I take this method to make the correction, at the earliest moment.

The table on page fifteen of the report, showing the number of tons moved on the Erie canal in each year from 1852 to 1866, both inclusive, and the table on the same page of the report, showing the number of tons delivered at tide water from the Erie and Champlain canals from 1860 to 1866, both inclusive, are correct; but the estimate deduced therefrom of the average yearly increase was erroneous. It would have required from forty to fifty boats, depending upon the quantity of through or way freight, running each season, to have

carried the average increase for the period mentioned, instead of the boats as stated in the report.

Whether it would have required one, forty or fifty boats does not, of course, essentially affect the argument, but as the estimate was erroneous, I request that you will present this communication to the Convention, and that it be placed upon its records.

Respectfully yours,

FREEMAN CLARKE.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 103.

IN CONVENTION

August 28, 1867.

COMMUNICATION

**BEING AN AMENDMENT TO MINORITY REPORT OF
MR. HATCH, FROM THE COMMITTEE OF FINANCE.**

I propose to change the financial section appended to my report. I propose, instead of seven millions, that there shall be borrowed on the pledge of the revenues of the canal eight millions, to be used for the improvement of the canals, with the proviso that the money should not be borrowed until it is ascertained that the eight millions will accomplish the proposed improvement. The table which I have prepared and now present, will show that the Canal and General Fund debts will be paid in ten years, and the new debt in ten years thereafter. It will be found on examination, that the basis of calculation is a net revenue of three millions. There is no allowance for increase of revenue, when we know canal revenues have doubled in every decade. It will be further noticed, in the table, that there is no allowance for decrease in cost of superintendence and repairs of canals, when it is understood that this year will show a decrease in that item of half a million. Giving the surplus revenues any credit for increase and any credit for decrease, in expenditure for repairs, the old and new debt would be paid in less than fifteen years. There must be great reduction in cost of management of the canals, for the venal classes are already trembling with alarm at the apprehended action of this Convention. I desire only to add, that if the financial

article presented by the Canal Committee should meet with the approval of the Convention, it will receive my cordial support.

I commence by assuming the present canal stock

debt to be,	\$15,765,060 00
The General Fund stock debt,	5,804,218 75
Total,	<u>\$21,569,278 75</u>

The annual interest on this is \$1,234,663.35.

1867, Sept. 30, balance in Sinking Fund applicable to principal and future int.,..	\$2,755,595 26
1867, Sept. 30, deduct paid General Fund,	<u>1,350,000 00</u>

This pays one year's interest
and stock due in 1868,..... \$1,405,595 26

1867, Sept. 30, General Fund reduced by,	<u>1,000,000 00</u>
Balance of debt,	<u><u>\$20,569,278 75</u></u>

Annual interest after 1868, say \$1,162,268.00.

To pay this principal in ten years would require an annual contribution of \$2,056,927.87.

On the 30th September, 1867, there will be due the General Fund for one year's interest on that debt, \$350,000. This must be paid. In 1868, \$942,961.05 falls due early in that year, and it must be paid from the surplus on hand or the means raised by a deficiency loan. That is, you use the money for other purposes you must borrow to make it up.

1868, Sept. 30, assume an annual net revenue on and after this date of,	<u>\$3,000,000 00</u>
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This in seven years would give,	\$21,000,000 00
Interest on Canal debt 7 years, say	\$5,227,000
Contributions to pay General Fund debt in seven years,	<u>4,900,000</u>
	<u>10,100,000 00</u>

	\$10,900,000 00
Then take three years surplus,	<u>9,000,000 00</u>

And we have a balance,	<u>\$19,900,000 00</u>
Carried forward,	<u>\$19,900,000 00</u>

Brought forward,.....	\$19,900,000 00
1878, Sept. 30, Canal debt paid,.....	15,517,160 00
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Surplus,	\$4,382,840 00
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To pay ten years' interest on \$8,000,000 of new debt, at six per cent, you will need the full sum of \$4,800,000.

In this statement there is nothing added for increase of the revenue, nor for interest on the surplus balances in the Sinking Fund ; but the statement shows that the whole present Canal and General Fund debt can be paid in ten years, and leave a balance to pay the interest on \$8,000,000 of debt at six per cent., and at the end of ten years you can begin to lay by capital to pay the principal of the \$8,000,000, and pay it off within eighteen years.

On examination, I do not think that there will be a surplus balance of \$7,644,314.24 realized January 1, 1870, and that there will not be on that day any such sum as \$6,654,314.24 to be expended on the contemplated improvement; and besides, the improvement, if done at all, should one-half of it be finished in the spring of 1869, and the other half in the spring of 1870.

I also propose, in case the financial article proposed is accepted, that it should be submitted to the people as a separate proposition. I prefer leaving them to exercise full power over the question without being involved with other similar questions.

ISRAEL T. HATCH.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 104.

IN CONVENTION

August 29, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON SECRETARY OF STATE, COMPTROLLER, TREASURER, ATTORNEY-GENERAL AND STATE ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR, THEIR ELECTION OR APPOINTMENT, TENURE OF OFFICE, COMPENSATION, POWERS AND DUTIES, AS REPORTED FROM THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE, AMENDED AND ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION AND REFERRED TO THE COMMITTEE ON REVISION.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. The Secretary of State, Comptroller, Treasurer
2 and Attorney-General shall be chosen at the same general election
3 at which a Governor shall be chosen, and shall hold their offices
4 for the same term as the Governor. The Secretary of State,
5 Comptroller, Treasurer, Attorney-General and State Engineer
6 and Surveyor, elected at the general election held on the Tuesday
7 succeeding the first Monday of November, one thousand eight

8 hundred and sixty-seven, shall hold their respective offices until
9 and including the thirty-first day of December, one thousand
10 eight hundred and sixty-eight, and no longer.

1 § 2. The Treasurer may be suspended from office by the
2 Governor, during the recess of the Legislature, and until thirty
3 days after the commencement of the next session of the Legisla-
4 ture, whenever it shall appear to him that such Treasurer has in
5 any particular violated his duty. The Governor shall appoint a
6 competent person to discharge the duties of the office, during
7 such suspension of the Treasurer.

1 § 3. Each of the officers in this Article named, shall, at stated
2 times, during his continuance in office, receive for his services a
3 salary which shall be established by law, and which shall not be
4 increased or diminished during the term for which he shall have
5 been elected ; nor shall he receive, to his use, any fees, costs or
6 perquisites of office, or other compensation. And all fees and
7 other moneys received by any such officer (except his salary),
8 and all costs or allowances of legal proceedings recovered by the
9 Attorney-General, shall be accounted for and paid into the State
10 treasury.

1 § 4. The powers and duties of the several officers in this
2 Article mentioned, shall be such as now are or hereafter may be
3 prescribed by law, not inconsistent with the provisions of this
4 Constitution.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 105.

IN CONVENTION

August 30, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MR. LIVINGSTON FROM THE COMMITTEE ON CHARITIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

The undersigned dissents from the article reported by the Committee on Charities, and begs leave to state his reasons therefor, as follows :

1st. The undersigned proposes to limit the powers of the Board of Commissioners of Charities, authorized by the report of the committee, to the public charitable institutions of the State, following in that respect the example of the Legislature of 1867, by which such a board has been established ; and further, to leave the regulation of the powers and duties of such commissioners, and all matters relating to the mode of their appointment and the tenure of their office, to the Legislature, where, in his opinion, such subjects properly belong.

2d. The undersigned is in favor of allowing any person to establish or increase the endowment of any institution not prohibited by law, requiring the Legislature to limit, by *general laws only*, the amount which a testator may devise or bequeath for such purposes.

3d. The undersigned is opposed to granting to the proposed board the powers mentioned in the second section of the proposed article, and, in his opinion, the Legislature should provide by general laws

for the disposition, under the sanction of the Supreme Court, of any funds or property which, by reason of a change of circumstances, can no longer be used for the purposes to which they may have been devoted.

4th But the principal ground of dissent on the part of the undersigned, arises from what he considers to be an unjust distribution made in the Article reported by the Committee, against religious and sectarian charitable institutions, and such who have a majority of their managers of one religious denomination. While the undersigned is of opinion that it would not be wise to prohibit the State forever, under all circumstances, from assisting charitable institutions, yet he does not hesitate to say that in his judgment it would be far better to close the door entirely against any aid from the State, to all institutions without exception, other than those exclusively owned and controlled by the State, than to open it to some, while excluding others on the mere ground that they are religious or sectarian, or that a majority of their managers are of one religious denomination.

In the opinion of the undersigned, there is but one safe rule to follow, and that is either to cut off entirely all State aid from institutions not owned exclusively by the State, or to throw the door wide open *on equal terms* to all.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WALTER L. LIVINGSTON.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 106.

IN CONVENTION

August 30, 1867.

MAJORITY REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHARITIES AND CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. The Legislature shall establish a Board of Com-
2 missioners of Charities, consisting of eight persons, a majority
3 of whom shall constitute a quorum who shall have power to
4 visit, inspect, and to require reports from charitable institutions
5 of every nature and description whatever, whether established
6 by individuals, or supported or aided by the State, except reli-
7 gious organizations of a sectarian character, penal and correctional
8 institutions, and educational institutions otherwise controlled by
9 law. Such board shall report to the Legislature. It shall also
10 give notice to the Attorney-General of any breach of trust in
11 the management of such institutions or of their funds, who shall

12 thereupon refer the question of such breach of trust to the proper
13 court. The members of such board shall be appointed by the
14 Governor with the consent of the Senate. Their term of office
15 shall be eight years, and they shall be so classified that one shall
16 go out of office in each year.

1 **SEC. 2.** Any person or persons may establish or increase the
2 endowment of a charitable institution for the support of the
3 poor, the advancement of learning and other lawful and public
4 purpose. Such institutions shall be established, and its funds
5 administered in accordance with the rules of courts of equity,
6 but the Legislature shall have power to limit the amount which
7 a testator may devise or bequeath for charitable purposes.

8 No charitable gift, devise or bequest shall be declared invalid
9 for want of a trustee, and the proper court shall, if necessary,
10 appoint a trustee. Whenever property is devised or bequeathed
11 in trust for charitable purposes, but not to an institution author-
12 ized by statute law to take it, the Board of Charities shall inquire
13 and report whether there is any objection to the trust growing
14 out of the condition of the testator's family or of any claimants
15 on his bounty. If the report is adverse, the charitable provision
16 shall fail; if favorable, the proper court shall carry the trust
17 into effect. It shall be no objection to a charitable trust that it
18 is perpetual. The Board of Charities may, at the end of thirty
19 years after the establishment of a charity, inquire whether it is
20 practicable that the property should be continued in its present

21 employment; on their report that such employment is no longer
22 practicable, such property may, under the sanction of the court
23 be devoted to other public uses. This section shall not apply to
24 the institutions excepted in the first section of this article.

1 SEC. 3. No charitable institution shall receive State aid
2 except under the following conditions :

3 (1.) Application for such aid shall be made to the Board of
4 Charities, at least two months before the meeting of the Legis-
5 lature.

6 (2.) The Board shall examine into the circumstances of the
7 case, and report that the institution claiming such aid tends to
8 relieve the State from expense with the amount of such relief,
9 and that it is not religious or sectarian in its character, and that
10 a majority of its managers are not members of one religious
11 denomination.

12 (3.) If the same institution has previously received State aid,
13 it must be reported that such aid has been fairly applied to the
14 purposes for which it was bestowed.

1 SEC. 4. The Legislature may provide that any donor of
2 charitable funds may direct that such funds shall be invested in
3 the registered bonds of this State, or of the United States, to be
4 held in the name of the Comptroller. In such case they shall
5 be so held and the interest or income thereof shall be paid to
6 the institution for whose benefit they are designed. The bonds

7 shall only be transferred by the Comptroller, for the purpose of
8 re-investment. The Legislature may further provide, that trus-
9 tees of charitable institutions may avail themselves of the benefits
10 of this provision.

EXPLANATIONS.

The Committee on Charities and Charitable Institutions, which, at the organization of the Convention, and by a special vote of its members, was deemed a necessary part of the body, respectfully

REPORT:

That they have had under consideration the charities of the State, and the duty of the State in regard to their support and superintendence. That they have considered them both in reference to the large drafts made upon the State treasury for their support, their growing numbers, their influence upon the people, the tendency to diffuseness of distribution instead of concentration of effort, and in all their important bearings upon the State, the people and different classes of the community.

While in our country, we desire always to recognize the duty of simplicity in the administration of Government, and of economy in all appropriations, not less for objects of humanity than for what are generally regarded as more necessary State purposes, we also feel that the State should be not less the friend of the poor than of the rich, and not less the guardian of those who suffer by want and sorrow, occasioned by human infirmities, than of those who are blessed with property and health. While we must always distinguish between those old and existing ideas of church and State common to our British ancestors and to the governments of the old world, we cannot escape those obligations, moral and material, which the State imposes upon all its citizens, and which in return demands from the State a like performance of moral and material service towards all who reside within the Commonwealth. These obligations are mutual. The people have consented to bear all the burdens of Government in order to enjoy its protection, and not the least of these burdens are the increased exactions for military service, for

jury duty, and for whatever service the State may constitutionally impose.

Committees which have already reported to this body desire to limit State aid for its suffering and needy fellow citizens to a very small class of dependent people. They are willing to make provision for the education of the deaf and dumb, the blind, the insane and idiotic, and for a class of juvenile delinquents, but none whatever for our hospitals, our orphan asylums, our dispensaries; none for providing medicine for the sick poor, for the homes of the friendless, for established Houses of Refuge, for eye and ear infirmaries; none for institutions for foundlings, one of which is established to prevent child-murder, which has become the great crime of the age; none for local prisons and reforms, nor for any charity except those now established by law and under the supreme control of the State.

Your Committee do not propose general and constant relief for any or for all these objects, nor, indeed, any relief whatever, except where it can be shown to be the duty of the State to grant it, nor where such aid cannot be defended upon principles of just economy. So long as human lives are worth saving, and the morals of the people worth preserving, so long as the prevention of crime and of other evils are objects worthy of human effort, just so long is the State bound to interpose its power and means in behalf of those charities, which, upon proof and trial, shall be found worthy of public aid. And let it not be said that the support of such institutions belongs either to local corporations or alone to citizens. When the State has done all that it will do, or all that it can or ought to do, the demands upon counties, towns, villages, cities, and persons able to give, are quite enough to exhaust the means of all such organizations. There are also, in all communities, objects of local, social, domestic, State, federal and foreign charity. It is the duty of all humane persons, who are able to do so, to feed the hungry, clothe the naked, minister to the sick, comfort the forsaken, raise the fallen, and, in a multitude of ways known of men and honored of God, to relieve the misfortunes of their fellow men. It is a wise human maxim that it not only becomes men to mean well, but to do well; but a still higher record in holy writ teaches us that pure religion and undefiled before God and the Father, is this: "To visit the widows and fatherless in their affliction."

But when all personal, local, moral, political and religious duties are discharged, a vast work remains for the State. We educate the children of the people at the expense of the State. We impose taxes upon the childless for the support of those who have children. We build canals through the State and across the State, and impose equal taxes upon a portion of the people who live hundreds of miles from those who are directly benefited by such improvements. To the same end we have given three millions of dollars to one railroad corporation, and three-quarters of a million to another, and have declared that the people of the extreme Northern and Southern parts of the State should pay their share of the general tax.

In like manner the State is in various ways taxed to support local, or partially local objects, from the general fund and general tax. Your Committee do not complain of this, but insist that a just and generous people will never rest content with unlimited expenditure for objects of material use at the cost of those public benevolences which are now the brightest jewels in the crown of the Empire State.

In twenty full years we have paid as a State for all the public, private, religious, educational and charitable institutions, chartered, incorporated and not chartered, including, of course, what are called State, charitable and other institutions, such as orphan asylums, hospitals, dispensaries, colleges, universities, normal schools, agricultural colleges, &c., &c., \$6,920,881 (not over one-fifth of a mill upon the assessed value of the State), and of this amount the orphan asylums and kindred institutions have received \$617,120.16, the hospitals and kindred institutions \$823,289.53, and all the dispensaries \$142,579.05, making a total in over twenty years of \$1,582,981.74.

The academies, which for the objects and purposes of your Committee, form no part of the State charities, have received in the same time, \$1,144,661.72; and the academies and colleges together, \$1,347,781.63. Add miscellaneous items, \$218,208.40, and we have a total of \$1,565,190.03, which is nearly equal to all that has been expended upon institutions throughout the State for all objects of charity, excepting those established for the relief of the deaf and dumb, blind, idiots, insane, and juvenile delinquents. For all charities, as stated, the State has paid \$6,920,881 in twenty years, and for mere Canal repairs, \$10,578,261 in twelve years.

Your Committee do not see the justice of discriminating between one and another class of those who are morally delinquent, nor of those who are afflicted in body, mind or estate. The State is taxed heavily to support the criminals of the State in its three prisons at Sing Sing, Auburn and Clinton. With what reason can it pay so much money to punish crime and refuse anything to prevent crime? Is it because these institutions, associations, and societies are local or personal in their organizations? If so, we think the answer is not a good one; first, because the State has a right, for all the aid it gives, to secure some equivalent in return. It may do this, as your Committee propose, by an authorized supervision, through a Board of Charities over all institutions receiving State aid, or by securing support in time and method for any number or class of persons corresponding with the aid given, or in any manner which may be prescribed by law.

Again, all well regulated private and local charities diminish the larger charities, and lessen the taxes of the people. Partial aid becomes universal good. To close our hospitals, orphan asylums and dispensaries—to shut the doors of those homes which are a refuge for the poor, is to make the State odious in the eyes of those who contribute most largely to its support. What is needed is, revision, supervision and regulation, not the cold hearts and closed hands of refusal. Reform and build up, but do not pull down and destroy. If need be, limit the amount of your appropriations from year to year, but do not declare in the organic law of your State, that from henceforth and forever no charity shall receive aid from the State, except for the limited few in number now entirely controlled by State authority. The increased crimes of the State need increased vigilance and increased means of preservation. Nor is it just, in the opinion of your Committee, to apply by law a great tax upon any class of the people for the support of one department of local or State government, when that department is necessary for the protection of all. The income should be appropriated for the common good, or if for any service, that service should be for the relief of the destitute poor.

The infants whose lives are daily taken in this State by their wretched parents is placing the moral character of the commonwealth beneath some of the most despotic and debased Governments

of the Old World; and the appalling facts of murder and other crimes of distress and poverty, recorded in the reports and journals of the day, prove that this is not the time to arrest the power and means of the State in its mission either of preventing or punishing crime. There are also crimes, which shall be nameless here, and which are largely upon the increase in New England, New York, and all over the country. It is enough to say that they affect the morals of the State, the future of its population, and the general welfare. The cities of the State, and especially its great metropolis, are supposed to be "the sores of the body politic;" but if crime centres in the city more than in the country, or if there seems to be more crime there than among the rural people, it is because the population is more dense and the means of concealment easier than elsewhere. Out of 195 cases of recent illegitimate childbirth, in one of the New York city Institutions,—the Hospital attached to the Nursery and Child's Hospital,—which the State and City of New York, have from time to time aided, the mothers of only thirty-seven were born or reared in the city. The alleged wickedness of our cities in regard to many other crimes, it is believed, have the same origin.

In a record of "Fashionable Murders,"* called the "Cloud with a Dark lining, or Serpents in the Dove's nest," it is stated that there are in the city of New York alone over 400 advertised places devoted to the work of abortion, and where any woman may resort to effect the end desired. And New York is not the only sinful city in the land. In this generation the same New England divine assures us that there the families do not now average more than three and a half persons, and this is probably true of most parts of the country; and what is lamentably true, also, is that this crime is infinitely more common in protestant than in catholic countries.† Murder is the proper name given to the crime, of which, to quote the same Boston authority, "France with all her atheism, and Paris with all her license, is not so guilty as staid New England at the present hour."

Country and city share alike in this destruction of human life in one way, and in the prevention of human life in another; and if it were necessary, it could be shown that there is not a constituency in

*Rev. John Todd, D. D., Boston. Lee & Shepard.

† See "Why Not?" by Horatio R. Storer, M. D., Boston.

this Convention to which, in a greater or less degree, the evil cannot be traced.

The power and duty of Reform lies largely with the State, and in ways and means which can be demonstrated before any Legislature, society or body called upon to consider the subject.

For the State Hospitals, we may say that the largest appropriations for their relief were made during the recent civil war, and thousands of the brave men sent to the Army were treated and cured in them. Tender and careful nursing, and constant and skillful ministrations to the sick and wounded, not only saved hundreds of lives, but assuaged the sorrows of the dying who passed ungroaning to their graves, blessing the State and people which made their last hours among the happiest of their lives.

Is this State, then, to do nothing for the widows and children of husbands who lost their lives in the service of the country? Nothing, under any circumstances, for children having destitute parents, or for infirm parents with destitute children? Nothing for premature old age and helpless infancy? Nothing for the wives and children of drunken parents, perhaps made so by the very statutes of the State? God forbid. Shall the State Government be made rich by taxes placed on the sale of liquor, and do nothing for the wives and children of intemperate husbands and fathers? Can all these demands for relief be met in your county poor houses, or from the uncertain relief incident to private charity?

Your Committee most earnestly protest against any and all such conclusions, and rely in the future, as in the past, mainly upon wise, timely and efficient action by the State to secure what Republican States were established for, which was and which is, the greatest good of the greatest number of people, and at the least possible cost.

As late as 1865, there were in fifty-three of the New York County Poor Houses no less than thirteen hundred and forty-five insane poor. The sight of the great body of them was shocking to humanity, repulsive to every manly sensibility and a disgrace to the Commonwealth. In the majority of cases, there was neither cleanliness, godliness, nor any human comfort. Many slept almost naked in

winter upon straw pallets, some in narrow cells,—not a few remained in their own filth, and, in winter and summer, with an absence of fresh air, and everything like wholesome ventilation. Sane, insane and idiotic men often were confined together and sometimes the most helpless and miserable were chained to the floor, surrounded by all their disgusting filth.

Your Committee have neither the time nor the heart to consider all these cases in detail, but to all who seek information about the poor house systems of the State, we commend the Report of Ex-Senators, Spencer, Bradford and Lee, published in 1857, and of Sylvester D. Willard, M. D., published in 1865. Because the insane victims of our county poor house could be supported for \$1.75 a week, each, instead of \$5.00 a week at a State institution, they were permitted, year after year, to suffer on in increased mental and bodily misery. In a well regulated State institution eighty per cent of those confined recover, but in a county poor house, not twenty in a hundred ever recover. It is not for your Committee to say what human life is worth,—but young or old, human life is the gift of God, and it is worth something. In the development of a State it bears a money value as well as a human soul. Men like Dr. Alexander H. Stevens and Horace Mann, each philanthropists and political economists, declare that a human life is worth to the State \$150 a year, and that to save even eighty per cent of the insane poor for a period of 17 or 18 years, which is the average duration of life, is equal to \$204,000 added to the property of the Commonwealth. Add to this the natural increase of population, and the saving in money becomes millions, and add to this again the blessings of a restored mind and reason to the possessor, and the value is beyond all the gold and silver of the earth.

Unless we mean to revive for the young that old Spartan code, which ordered by statute that every child who was maimed or weak should be put to death, or to maintain the modern practice of sacrificing old and young by a neglect which is of itself a crime, we must still open our hands and hearts for the relief of the destitute.

The proposition to tax the property of institutions founded to relieve the poor, and at the same time to deny them all State aid, which is now before the Convention, seems to the undersigned a step towards the dark ages, and an act wholly repugnant to a Christian

people and a free government. It would seem to be quite enough to deny all relief in money to the poor, without taxing private benevolence for the very means raised and set apart for their support.

No petition has been presented to this body asking for a measure so harsh as this, nor for any change in the dispensation of State charities, except that they should not be sectarian in their character.

The Committee have also recommended a provision for the establishment of charities. The laws of this State, upon this subject, have been in a most uncertain and vacillating condition, and it has been thought proper to place its principal provisions beyond the reach of judicial inconstancy. The Committee reserve to themselves, hereafter, a full exposition of the reasons which lead them to recommend the adoption of the second section. They have only to add, that while it is in contemplation to withdraw State aid from a large number of charities, the reasons for permitting private individuals freely to bestow their property for public purposes, have greatly increased in potency.

The last section of the article permits the Legislature to provide a secure mode of investment for the funds of charitable institutions, if their founders or trustees choose to avail themselves of it. It is believed that the provisions of this article will tend to increase and encourage private liberality, as donors will be relieved from the apprehension, in too many instances well founded, that their gifts will be squandered or misapplied.

ERASTUS BROOKS, *Chairman.*
T. W. DWIGHT,
SELAH B. STRONG,
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FRANCIS SILVESTER.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 107.

IN CONVENTION

August 30, 1867.

MAJORITY REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY.

To the Convention :

The undersigned, a majority of the Committee on the Judiciary, report the following article.

It is the conclusion which the Committee has arrived at after weeks of laborious consideration, of exhaustive discussion, and many votes upon various propositions, and is as nearly as possible the harmonizing of differing and opposite views.

Dated, *August 30th*, 1867.

CHAS. J. FOLGER, *Chairman.*
WM. M. EVARTS,
JOS. G. MASTEN,
GEORGE BARKER,
JOSHUA M. VANCOTT,
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THEODORE W. DWIGHT,
AMASA J. PARKER,
CHAS. ANDREWS,
EDWARDS PIERREPONT,
MATTHEW HALE.

ARTICLE VI.

1 SECTION 1. The Assembly shall have the power of impeach-
2 ment, by a vote of the majority of all the members elected. The
3 court for the trial of impeachments, shall be composed of the
4 President of the Senate, the Senators, or a major part of them,
5 and the Judges of the Court of Appeals, or the major part of
6 them. On the trial of an impeachment against the Governor,
7 the Lieutenant-Governor shall not act as a member of the court.
8 No judicial officer shall exercise his office after he shall have
9 been impeached, until he shall have been acquitted. Before the
10 trial of an impeachment, the members of the court shall take an
11 oath or affirmation truly and impartially to try the impeachment
12 according to evidence, and no person shall be convicted without
13 the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present. Judg-
14 ment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further than to
15 removal from office, or removal from office and disqualification
16 to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under this
17 State; but the party impeached shall be liable to indictment and
18 punishment according to law.

1 § 2. There shall be a court of appellate jurisdiction, called
2 the Court of Appeals, composed of seven judges, who shall be
3 elected by the electors of the State, and shall hold their office
4 during good behavior, until the age of seventy years. They
5 shall designate one of their number as Chief Justice, who shall

6 act as such during his continuance in office. Whenever a vacancy
7 shall occur in the office of Chief Justice, it shall be filled by the
8 Judges of the Court from their number. The Judges of
9 the Court of Appeals shall have power to appoint and remove a
10 clerk of said Court, a reporter thereof, and such attendants as
11 shall be authorized by law.

1 § 3. Upon the organization of the Court of Appeals under
2 this Constitution, the causes then pending in the present Court
3 of Appeals shall become vested in the Court of Appeals hereby
4 created. Such of said causes as are pending on the first day of
5 January, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, shall be heard and
6 determined by a commission to consist of five Commissioners of
7 Appeals. But the Court of Appeals hereby created, for cause
8 shown, may order any cause thus pending before the said Com-
9 missioners, to be heard in such Court. Such Commission shall
10 consist of the judges of the present Court of Appeals elected
11 thereto, and a fifth Commissioner who shall be appointed by
12 the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the
13 Senate.

1 § 4. If any vacancy shall occur in the office of said Commis-
2 sioners, it shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by
3 and with the advice and consent of the Senate; and if the Senate
4 is not in session, by the Governor, but in such case the term of
5 office shall expire at the end of the session of the Senate next

6 after such appointment. The said Commissioners shall appoint
7 from their number a Chief Commissioner (and may in like man-
8 ner fill all vacancies in such appointment); (and may appoint
9 and remove such attendants as shall be provided for by law).
10 The reporter of the Court of Appeals shall be the reporter of said
11 Commissioners. And the decisions of said Commissioners shall
12 be certified to and entered and enforced as the judgments of the
13 Court of Appeals. The said Commission shall continue for three
14 years, unless the causes committed to it are sooner determined.
15 If at the end of three years from the time of entering upon its
16 duties, all the causes assigned to such Commission shall not have
17 been heard and determined, the residue shall be heard and
18 determined by the Court of Appeals hereby created.

1 § 5. At the end of ten years from the adoption of this Con-
2 stitution by the people, the Legislature shall have power to
3 provide for the appointment of a Commission to hear and deter-
4 mine such causes as may be transferred to it by the Court of
5 Appeals, in such manner as the Legislature may direct.

1 § 6. There shall be a Supreme Court having general juris-
2 diction in law and equity, subject to such appellate jurisdiction
3 of the Court of Appeals as may be prescribed by law. The
4 Legislature at its session next after the adoption of this Consti-
5 tution, shall divide the State into four judicial departments, and
6 each of said departments into two districts to be bounded by

7 county lines. The city and county of New York shall form
8 one district. There shall be thirty-four Justices of the said
9 Supreme Court; ten thereof in the department in which is the
10 city and county of New York, and eight in each of the other
11 departments. But the Legislature shall have power to provide
12 for an additional justice in each of said departments. One-half
13 of the justices in each department, shall reside in each district of
14 such department, at the time of their election.

1 § 7. The Legislature shall have the same power to alter and
2 regulate the jurisdiction and proceedings in law and equity, as
3 they have heretofore possessed.

1 § 8. Provision shall be made by law for designating from
2 time to time the justices who shall hold the general terms, and
3 also for designating from their number a Chief Justice of each
4 department, who shall act as such during his continuance in
5 office. Four of the said judges shall be designated to hold
6 the general term, and three thereof shall form a quorum. And
7 any one or more of said judges may hold special terms, and
8 Circuit Courts, and any one of them may preside in courts of
9 Oyer and Terminer in any county.

1 § 9. No judge, either of the Court of Appeals, or of the
2 Supreme Court shall sit in review of his own decision.

1 § 10. All vacancies in the office of Judge of the Court of
2 Appeals, shall as they occur be filled by election by the electors
3 of the State, and all vacancies in the office of Justice of the
4 Supreme Court, shall as they occur be filled by election by
5 the electors in the several departments, at the general election
6 next after the vacancy shall occur. But the Governor by and
7 with the advice and consent of the Senate, when the Senate
8 is in session, and the Governor when the Senate is not in
9 session, may fill any such vacancy by appointment, which shall
10 continue until the first day of January next after such general
11 election.

1 § 11 At the general election in the year 1870, there shall be
2 submitted to the people, in such manner as the Legislature shall
3 provide by law, to be determined by the electors of the State,
4 the question: "Shall vacancies as they occur in the office of the
5 judges and justices mentioned in sections 2, 6 and 15 of article
6 VI of the constitution be filled by appointment?" And if the
7 majority of all the electors voting at such election shall vote that
8 such vacancies shall be so filled, then thereafter all vacancies in
9 the office of Judge of the Court of Appeals, Justice of the
10 Supreme Court, Judges of the Superior Court of the city of
11 New York, and of the Court of Common Pleas for the city
12 and county of New York, and of the Superior Court of the city
13 of Buffalo, shall be filled by the Governor, by and with the

14 advice and consent of the Senate; or if the Senate is not in ses-
15 sion, by the Governor; but in such case the term of office shall
16 expire at the end of the session of the Senate next after such
16 appointment.

1 § 12. The Judges of the Court of Appeals, and the Justices
2 of the Supreme Court, shall not hold any other office or public
3 trust. All votes for either of them for any elective office (except
4 that of Justice of the Supreme Court or Judge of the Court of
5 Appeals) given by the Legislature or the people shall be void.
6 They shall not exercise any power of appointment to public
7 office, except as is herein specifically provided.

1 § 13. The times and places of holding the terms of the Court
2 of Appeals and of the General and Special Terms of the Supreme
3 Court within the several departments and districts, and the Cir-
4 cuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer within the several
5 counties, shall be provided for by law. But provision shall be
6 made for holding General Terms of the Supreme Court at con-
7 venient places in each of said districts.

1 § 14. Judges of the Court of Appeals and Justices of the
2 Supreme Court, may be removed by concurrent resolution of
3 both houses of the Legislature, if two-thirds of all the members
4 elected to the Assembly, and a majority of all the members
5 elected to the Senate concur therein. All judicial officers, except

6 those mentioned in this section, and except justices of the peace
7 and judges and justices of inferior courts, not of record, may be
8 removed by the Senate on the recommendation of the Governor.
9 But no removal shall be made by virtue of this section unless the
10 cause thereof be entered on the journals, nor unless the party
11 complained of shall have been served with a copy of the com-
12 plaint against him, and shall have had an opportunity of being
13 heard in his defense. On the question of removal, the ayes and
14 noes shall be entered on the journal.

1 § 15. There shall be in the city and county of New York,
2 the Superior Court of the city of New York, and the Court of
3 Common Pleas of said city and county. And there shall be in
4 the city of Buffalo, the Superior Court of said city. The said
5 courts shall severally have the jurisdiction they now severally
6 possess, and such other original and appellate civil and criminal
7 jurisdiction as may be conferred by law. There shall be five
8 judges of the Superior Court of the city and county of New
9 York; five judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the said
10 city and county of New York; and three judges of the Superior
11 Court of the city of Buffalo. The judges of said courts, respec-
12 tively, shall designate one of their number as chief justice, who
13 shall act as such as long as he continues in office. Vacancies in
14 said courts shall be filled by election by the electors of said cities
15 respectively, at the general election next after the vacancy shall

16 occur. And until such general election in the same manner as
17 vacancies in the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, as is here-
18 inbefore provided.

1 § 16. Justices of the Supreme Court shall be elected by the
2 electors of their respective departments ; judges of the Superior
3 Court of the city and county of New York, and of the Court of
4 Common Pleas of the city and county of New York, by the
5 electors of that city and county ; and judges of the Superior
6 Court of the city of Buffalo, by the electors of that city. The
7 said justices and judges shall hold their offices during good
8 behavior until they respectively attain the age of seventy years.

1 § 17. All the judges and justices of the courts of record,
2 hereinbefore mentioned in this article, shall receive at stated
3 times for their services, a compensation to be fixed by law, which
4 shall not be diminished during their respective terms of office.

1 § 18. There shall be elected in each of the counties of this
2 State, except the city and county of New York, one county judge,
3 who shall hold his office for *seven* years. He shall hold the county
4 court and perform the duties of the office of surrogate. The county
5 court as at present existing, shall be continued with such original
6 and appellate jurisdiction as shall from time to time be conferred
7 upon it by the Legislature. The county judge with two justices
8 of the peace, to be designated according to law, may hold courts

9 of sessions, with such criminal jurisdiction as the Legislature
10 shall prescribe, and perform such other duties as may be required
11 by law. The county judge shall receive an annual salary, to be
12 fixed by the board of supervisors, which shall not be diminished
13 during his continuance in office. The justices of the peace for
14 services in courts of sessions shall be paid a per diem allowance
15 out of the county treasury. In counties having a population
16 exceeding forty thousand, the Legislature may provide for the
17 election of a separate officer to perform the duties of the office
18 of surrogate, whose term of office shall be the same as that of the
19 county judge. Inferior local courts, of civil and criminal juris-
20 diction, may be established by the Legislature in cities; and
21 such courts, except for the cities of New York, Brooklyn and
22 Buffalo, shall have an uniform organization and jurisdiction in
23 such cities.

1 § 19. The county judge of any county may preside at courts
2 of sessions or hold county courts in any other county (except
3 the city and county of New York, and the county of Kings),
4 when requested thereto by the county judge of said other
5 county.

1 § 20. The Legislature may on application of the board of
2 supervisors provide for the election of local officers, not to
3 exceed two in any county, to discharge the duties of county
4 judge and of surrogate, in cases of their inability or of a

5 vacancy, and to exercise such other powers in special cases as
6 may be provided by law.

1 § 21. The Legislature may reorganize the judicial departments
2 and districts at the first session after the return of every enume-
3 ration under this Constitution, in the manner provided for in the
4 — section of sixth article, and at no other time. But the Legisla-
5 ture shall not increase the number of the departments or of the
6 districts.

1 § 22. The electors of the several towns shall, at their annual
2 town meeting, and in such manner as the Legislature may direct,
3 elect justices of the peace, whose term of office shall be four
4 years. In case of an election to fill a vacancy, occurring before
5 the expiration of a full term, they shall hold for the residue of
6 the unexpired term. Their number and classification may be
7 regulated by law. Justices of the peace and judges or justices
8 of inferior courts, not of record, and their clerks, may be removed
9 after due notice, and an opportunity of being heard in their
10 defense by such county, city, or State courts, as may be pre-
11 scribed by law for causes to be assigned in the order of removal.

1 § 23. All judicial officers of cities and villages, and all such
2 judicial officers as may be created therein by law, shall be elected
3 or appointed at such times, and in such manner, as the Legislature
4 may direct, except as herein otherwise provided.

1 § 24. Clerks of the several counties of this State shall be
2 clerks of the Supreme Court, with such powers and duties as shall
3 be prescribed by law. The clerk of the Court of Appeals shall
4 keep his office at the seat of government. His compensation
5 shall be fixed by law and paid out of the public treasury.

1 § 25. No judicial officer except justices of the peace, shall
2 receive to his own use, any fees or perquisites of office; nor
3 shall any judicial officer in the State, except a county judge,
4 or surrogate, or special county judge or surrogate, or justice of
5 the peace, or police justice; nor shall any judicial officer in the
6 city of New York, or in the city of Brooklyn; practice as an
7 attorney or counsellor at law in any court of record in this State,
8 or act as referee.

1 § 26. The Legislature may authorize the judgments, decrees
2 and decisions of any local inferior court of record of original
3 civil jurisdiction, established in a city, to be removed for review,
4 directly into the Court of Appeals.

1 § 27. The Legislature shall provide for the speedy publica-
2 tion of all statute laws, and of such judicial decisions, as it may
3 deem expedient. And all laws and judicial decisions shall be
4 free for publication by any person.

1 § 28. The first election of Judges of the Court of Appeals,
2 and of Justices of the Supreme Court, and of judges of the Supe-

8 rior Court and Court of Common Pleas of the city and county
4 of New York, and of the Superior Court of the city of Buffalo,
5 shall take place at such time as the Legislature shall prescribe
6 between the first Tuesday of April and the first Tuesday of
7 June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty eight. The said
8 courts and the Commissioners of Appeals shall respectively enter
9 upon their duties on the first Monday of July next thereafter.

1 § 29. On the first Monday of July, one thousand eight hun-
2 dred and sixty-eight, jurisdiction of all suits and proceedings
3 then pending in the present Supreme Court, shall become vested
4 in the Supreme Court hereby established. Proceedings pending
5 in county courts and in suits originally commenced in courts of
6 justices of the peace, shall be and remain in the county courts
7 as is now provided for by law. The courts of Oyer and Ter-
8 miner hereby established, shall in their respective counties have
9 jurisdiction on and after the day last mentioned, of all indict-
10 ments and proceedings then pending in the present courts of
11 Oyer and Terminer. Indictments and proceedings pending in
12 the court of general sessions of the peace in the city of New
13 York, shall be and remain in the said court, subject to all pro-
14 visions of law relating thereto. Indictments and proceedings
15 pending in the courts of sessions in the several counties of this
16 State shall be and remain in the said courts, subject to all provi-
17 sions of law relating thereto.

1 § 30. The Judges of the present Court of Appeals, and the
2 Justices of the present Supreme Court, are hereby declared to
3 be severally eligible to any office at the first election under this
4 Constitution.

1 § 31. County judges, justices of the peace, and coroners in
2 office when this Constitution shall take effect, shall hold their
3 respective offices until the expiration of the term for which they
4 were respectively elected.

1 § 32. All local courts established in any city or village,
2 including the surrogate's court of the county of New York, shall
3 remain, until otherwise directed by the Legislature, with their
4 present powers and jurisdictions; and the judges of such courts,
5 and any clerks thereof, in office on the first day of January, one
6 thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight, shall continue in office
7 until the expiration of their terms of office, or until the Legisla-
8 ture shall otherwise direct.

1 § 33. The Legislature may create probate courts, abolish the
2 office of surrogate, confer upon existing courts the powers and
3 duties of surrogate and the jurisdiction of surrogates, create
4 registers of wills and of the probate thereof, and of letters of
5 administration, and provide for the trial by jury of issues in sur-
6 rogates' courts, and in courts having the like powers and duties.

APPENDIX.

[PREFATORY NOTE.—Early in the sessions of the Judiciary Committee, Mr. DALY and Mr. T. W. DWIGHT, were requested to prepare, for the use of the Committee, papers upon the French, Scotch and English judicial organizations. Accordingly, a paper upon the organization of the French Courts was prepared by Mr. DALY, and upon that of the Scotch and the English by Mr. DWIGHT.]

CHAPTER I.

FRENCH JUDICIAL SYSTEM.

PREPARED BY MR. DALY.

France, with a population of thirty-seven millions, is divided into eighty-six departments; each department is divided into districts, or, as they are called, arrondissements, of which there are 363, in each of which is a court, known as the Tribunal of First Instance, making 363 of these courts.

Each district is divided into cantons, of which there are 2,847, each canton into communes or parishes, of which there are 36,819. In each canton there is a justice of the peace, who decides summarily, without the intervention of attornies, all matters in contests of small importance, and has jurisdiction in criminal matters where the fine imposed does not exceed fifteen francs (\$3), or where the imprisonment is for five days or less. The Tribunal of Justice of the Peace also acts with the consent of parties as a court of conciliation. There are 2,847 justices of the peace. They are all salaried officers, and are professional men. The maires of communes also exercise, it would seem, some judicial authority. The appeal from the decision of the Tribunal of the Justice of the Peace, is to the Tribunal of the First Instance of the district.

TRIBUNALS OF FIRST INSTANCE.

The Tribunal of the First Instance is composed of from three to twelve judges according to the population of the district. If the court has seven or more judges, it is divided into two chambers, one of which has charge of criminal and the other of civil matters.

If the court has twelve judges, it is divided into three chambers, two civil and one criminal. The Tribunals of First Instance at Paris

being very large, is divided into ten chambers. It has one Procureur Imperial, or Attorney-General, with twenty-two deputies, and one registrar, with forty two deputies.

The concurrence of *three* judges of a chamber, in this court in civil cases, and of *five* in criminal cases, is necessary for a decision.

One of the judges of this tribunal is appointed to act in the district for three years as a judge of criminal instruction. There is usually one to every criminal chamber, and attached to the Paris Tribunal of First Instance there are eleven. This judge, in conjunction with the Procureur Imperial (District Attorney), examines every case of criminal accusation, and makes his report once a week to the criminal chamber of the Tribunal of First Instance, and that body, which must be composed of at least five judges, decides whether the party accused shall be discharged or not. If they decide that he shall not be discharged, they send the case to the criminal chamber of the court of appeal of the jurisdiction for further examination, and if that body think that a crime has been committed, and that it is of sufficient gravity, they send the case to the Court of Assise of the department to be tried by a jury.

The decisions of the Tribunals of First Instance are reviewable in the court of appeal of the jurisdiction.

The judges are appointed for life.

COURTS OF APPEAL.

There are twenty-seven courts of appeal in France, now called *Imperial Courts*, each of which take their name from the city or place where they are established. Each court is divided into chambers corresponding usually with the number of departments over which the court has jurisdiction; so that in the twenty-seven courts, there are eighty-six chambers, that being the number of the departments in France.

Each court of appeal is composed of at least twenty-four judges, who are called counsellors, and is usually divided into three chambers, one having cognizance of civil cases, one of criminal accusations and the other of appeals in police matters. In the civil chamber, seven judges must concur in a decision, and in the chamber of

accusation, five. There is one general president, and a president for each chamber, who is selected by the judge of that chamber.

The court of appeal in Paris has six chambers, a first president, six presidents of chambers and fifty-nine judges.

In important matters such as questions of State, or very difficult questions, two chambers, where there are more than one, are united and the decision must be concurred in by fourteen judges. This is termed the solemn hearing, and is called by the first president of his own motion or by him, upon the request of one of the chambers, in a matter which they deem of sufficient importance.

The appeal from this court is to the Court of Cassation, and must be brought within three months.

The judges are all appointed for life, but may retire or be retired upon a pension after thirty years' service, or in the event of permanent infirmity.

COURT OF ASSISE.

There is also a court of assise, composed of judges of the court of appeal in each department, or eighty-six in all of these courts for the trial of criminal cases with a jury. Where the seat of the court of appeal is within the department, the court of assise of the department is held by three of the judges of the court of appeal, the senior judge being president, and when such is the case the court of assise is held by one judge of the court of appeal, and two judges of the Tribunal of First Instance of the district where the court of assise is held; the judge of the court of appeal being president.

The court of assise is held every three months, usually at the chief town of the department. The one in Paris is held twice every month. The trial is public; the jury is composed of 12; they pass only upon the facts, and a verdict by the majority is sufficient. The appeal from the judgment of the court of assise is to the Court of Cassation, and must be brought within three days.

TRIBUNALS OF COMMERCE.

There are in all the commercial towns and cities in France what are known as Tribunals of Commerce. The number or the locality of

these courts is not fixed by law, but is determined by the government, according to the exigencies of each locality. This court takes cognizance only of disputes and transactions between merchants, tradesmen, bankers, or of matters connected with trade or commerce, in which is included bankruptcy. It is composed of a president, of judges and of supplemental judges. The number of the judges must not be less than two nor more than fourteen. The number of supplemental judges is in proportion to the exigency of the public service. The number of each, in each tribunal, is fixed by a government regulation. The judges of this tribunal serve for two years, without compensation, and are elected by an assembly of the most eminent commercial men within the district, the list of the electors being prepared by the prefect of the department, and approved by the minister of the interior. Any commercial man thirty years of age, who has exercised his calling with honor and distinction for five years, may be elected either as a judge or a supplemental judge. The president must be forty years of age, and be chosen from among those who have served as judges. Three judges, at least, must concur in a decision. If the amount involved is under 1500 francs (\$300) there is no appeal, nor in any matter, if the parties give their consent to abide by the decision without appeal. In all other cases an appeal lies to the court of appeal within the jurisdiction, and takes priority in the court over other appeals.

In the Tribunal of Commerce in Paris, there was in the year 1853, 51,042 cases, of which 35,257 went by default, 10,465 were put at issue, 2,663 were conciliated, and 1,985 were withdrawn.

This tribunal has a general president, ten judges and sixteen supplemental judges. It is in session every day throughout the year, except Sundays, and is one of the most useful courts in France.

COURT OF PRUDHOMMES.

(*A Mechanic's or Workingman's Court.*)

There is in the cities of Paris and Lyons and in some of the other cities, a court called *The Court of Prudhommes*, (literally good and true men, but meaning in this connection, men well versed in some art or trade). It takes cognizance of all contests between manufacturers or master-workmen, and their workmen and apprentices. It acts first as a court of conciliation, and if that fails, it has

jurisdiction to the amount of 200 francs (\$40), without appeal, and jurisdiction to any amount, subject to appeal to the Tribunal of Commerce, if there is one in the district, and if not to the Tribunal of First Instance.

This Court of Prudhommes consists of a council composed of master-workmen or manufacturers, and of foremen, being six of each, equally balanced; one-half of each of which go out every two years, but are re-eligible. They are elected by the members of their respective classes. To them is added a president and two vice-presidents, appointed by the Sovereign for three years, but who are re-eligible.

This is a very practical and most useful tribunal. It sits every day except Sunday, decides cases with great dispatch, with little expense, and generally to the satisfaction of both parties. They are usually settled by conciliation. There are in the Paris Tribunal about 4,000 cases in the year, two-thirds of them relating to wages. The judgments seldom exceed one hundred annually, and appeals are rare.

COURT OF ACCOUNTS.

The next court is the Court of Accounts. It is a court of exchequer, before which matters come relating to the public expenditure, all fiscal matters, claims against government, the administration of poor houses, hospitals, public charities, &c. It has a first president, three presidents, eighteen counsellors or masters of account, and eighty referees, divided into two classes, a registrar and deputies and three chambers, each of which have separate duties. The appeal from this court is to the Council of State.

COURT OF CASSATION.

The last and highest of the permanent courts of France is the Court of Cassation. It is composed of fifty judges, called counsellors, and is divided into three chambers, one of request (matters arising upon petition), one civil, and one criminal and police. It has a first president and three presidents of chambers.

It is the final appellate court from all intermediate tribunals of last resort, such as the courts of appeal.

An appeal to it must be brought within *three* months after the judgment appealed from was rendered.

It does not, as the courts of appeal do, review the merits, but as its name imports, breaks the judgment, if the forms of procedure have been violated, or the judgment is founded upon an erroneous interpretation of the law, and sends the case back for another hearing, usually to a different tribunal, but one of the same rank, as the one that first decided it. The court to which it is sent, is not, as our inferior courts are, bound by the interpretation given to the law, by the higher tribunal, but may make the same decision as the former tribunal, if it thinks that the decision of the Court of Cassation was erroneous, though, of course, great deference is paid to the opinion of the higher tribunal. Instances have occurred in which three different courts of appeal rendered the same judgment notwithstanding it had been twice declared by the Court of Cassation to be erroneous. Where such is the case, the question is no longer agitated, but the government (the Corps Legislatif), with the sanction of the emperor, makes a decree declaratory of the law, which is binding thereafter upon all judicial tribunals.

The appellant must deposit 150 francs (\$30), which he forfeits to the other party if he fails, and is sentenced in addition to pay 300 francs (\$60), to the State.

No chamber of the Court of Cassation can give judgment unless it is composed of seven judges, including the president.

Each chamber appoints its own president, and five members go out of each chamber every six months, but not until they have finished all the matters heard before them. The Civil Chambers sit every week day except during the months of September and October; the Criminal continuously throughout the year, and the session is four hours a day.

In great or very important cases, the three chambers are called together by the first president of his own motion or upon the request of one of the chambers. The judges are robed in scarlet upon the occasion, and when they come together it is the most imposing and dignified judicial body in the world.

The judges of the Court of Cassation are appointed for life, and are retired in the same manner as the judges of the courts of appeal.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE.

The highest court in France is the High Court of Justice, which assembles only when an Imperial decree is issued for its convocation for the trial of offenses against the life of the sovereign or the safety of the State. It is composed of five judges and five supplementary judges, chosen from the judges of the Court of Cassation, and of a jury of thirty-six chosen from the members of the councils general of the departments. The judges and the jury are appointed annually by the sovereign.

This is as accurate and as full a statement as I have been able to compile, in so short a time, of the whole judicial organization of France. It does not embrace any changes that may have been made during the past ten years, as I have not had time to ascertain what laws or decrees have been enacted within that period. I will simply add that the civil judicial organization of France is regarded as very perfect, and that the jurists of no country have done more to advance the science of jurisprudence.

THE JUDICIAL FORCE OF THIS STATE COMPARED WITH A PORTION OF FRANCE OF EQUAL POPULATION.

The jurisdiction of the Imperial Court of Paris embraces seven departments, Aube, Eure et Loir, Marne, Seine, Seine et Marne, Seine et Oise, Yonne, comprising thirty-one districts, the united population of which in 1861 was 3,847,218.

The population of the State of New York in 1865 was 3,831,500, being 5,718 less than the portion of France above referred to, and as the portion of France includes the principal city in France, Paris, and this State the principal city in the United States, a comparison of the two, will serve to show the relative judicial force of this State as compared with that of France.

New York.

Judges of the Court of Appeals,	4
“ Supreme Court,	33

Judges of Superior Court of New York,.....	
“ “ “ Buffalo,.....	3
“ New York Common Pleas,.....	3
“ Marine Court of New York,.....	3
“ City Court of Brooklyn,.....	1
County Judges,.....	60
Surrogates,.....	26
Special Surrogates,.....	7
Special Judges.....	14
Recorders and city Judges of New York,.....	14
Judges of Sessions,.....	120
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Total,.....	295
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Imperial Court of Paris.

Judges of Appeal,.....	68
“ Tribunal of First Instance, in the city of Paris,....	65
“ the other Districts,.....	216
“ Tribunal of Commerce,.....	27
“ Court of Prudhommes,.....	15
“ Proportional part of the Court of Cassation,.....	5
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Total,.....	391
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RECAPITULATION.

Territory of Imperial Court of Paris, (Judges),.....	391
State of New York, (Judges),.....	295
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	96
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Justices of peace in both are omitted, as the
 2. France would not be counted.

been proportionably greater than in France, as the following statement will show :

Population of France, 1836,	.....	33,333,019
“ “ 1856,	.....	36,039,364
“ “ 1861,	.....	37,382,255

In thirty-six years but four millions have been added, or only one-ninth.

Population of New York, 1830,	.....	1,918,608
“ “ 1840,	.....	2,428,192
“ “ 1850,	.....	3,097,294
“ “ 1860,	.....	3,880,735
“ “ 1865,	.....	3,831,777

Showing that the population of this State has doubled in thirty years.

Respectfully submitted,
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CHAPTER II.

ENGLISH JUDICIAL SYSTEM.

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SECTION I.

The English Courts Enumerated.

The English judicial system comprises among others, the following tribunals; the Courts of Requests, the County Courts, the great courts of original common law jurisdiction, such as the Common Pleas, King's or Queen's Bench, and Exchequer, the like Courts of Equity Jurisdiction, such as that of the Vice Chancellors, the Master of the Rolls, the Lords Justices and the Lord Chancellor; mention must also be made of the Court of Probate, Divorce and Admiralty, and of the Criminal Courts, such as the Petty Sessions, Quarter Sessions, the Oyer and Terminer, and the Central Criminal Court. Finally there are the strictly Appellate Courts, such as the Court of Criminal Appeal, the Court of Exchequer Chamber, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, and the House of Lords.

SECTION II.

The Plan of this Sketch.

These various courts will be grouped together under the following arrangement:

First—The Courts of Requests.

Second—The County Courts.

Third—The Superior Courts of Common Law Jurisdiction.

Fourth—The Superior Courts of Equity Jurisdiction.

Fifth—The Courts of Probate, Divorce and Admiralty.

Sixth—The Criminal Courts.

Seventh—The Strictly Appellate Courts.

SECTION III.

Courts of Requests.

The organization of these is detailed in Tidd's Practice (edition in State Library), Vol. 2, pp. 988–993. They are substantially courts established in various cities and towns for the recovery of small debts, not exceeding, generally, five pounds. In such cases a plaintiff cannot recover costs if he sue elsewhere.

SECTION IV.

County Courts.

NOTE.—The section on county courts was prepared by Mr. Daly.

There had existed in England from the time when the kingdom was divided into shires or counties, that is from the time of Alfred, a court in every county, known as the County Court. They were anciently the chief courts, but after magna charta their powers were restricted and they were ultimately reduced in civil cases to actions involving no greater amount than forty shillings, and then only where the cause of action arose in and the defendant dwelt in the county; in addition to which the practice in these courts was complicated and dilatory as well as expensive, and in certain cases actions had to be brought upon their judgments to render them effectual.

In 1846 (28th Aug., 9 and 10 Vic., c. 95), an act of parliament was passed, by which they were converted into most useful courts, and they are now the most popular tribunals in England.

Under this act the counties of England are divided into districts, in each of which a County Court is held for the recovery of "any *debt, damage* or demand, not exceeding fifty pounds," at least once a month or at such other intervals as a Secretary of State may direct. There are in England and Wales fifty-two counties, which in 1857 comprised sixty circuits, each circuit embracing several towns or judicial districts, and for each circuit a county judge is appointed by the Lord Chancellor. The city of London proper is not embraced in this arrangement, but has a court of its own for the recovery of small debts, but the other parts of London are.

There are consequently sixty of these county judges, each having within his particular circuit, a certain number of town or judicial

districts in which he holds his court; some circuits comprising but *four*, others as many as *thirteen*, in each of which he must hold a court at least once a month, and give three months' notice of it.

The judge must be a barrister of at least seven years' standing. He is precluded from practicing at the bar, and cannot be concerned directly or indirectly as a conveyancer, attorney, solicitor, or proctor. In case of sickness or unavoidable absence he may appoint a deputy to perform his duties, who must either be a county judge or a barrister of seven years' standing, and who, while acting, is in that particular circuit under the same restrictions as the judge. The remuneration of the deputy is, however, fixed by the judge himself. The Judge cannot hold but one court in a day. He has no vacation except the time elapsing between the monthly holding of the courts, and where he has twelve or thirteen courts in his circuit, that period is necessarily short. No cessation of the court is permitted, but with the view of allowing the judge some respite it is provided that he may appoint a deputy to act for him at any time during the year, not exceeding, in the whole, *two* months out of the *twelve*, and must himself remunerate the deputy. The salary of the judge is £1,200 (\$5,328 in gold), in addition to which the Commissioners of the Treasury allow him such sum as they consider reasonable for his traveling expenses. The office is permanent.

REGISTRAR.

There is a clerk of the court for every circuit called the Registrar, who is appointed by the judge, and in most of the circuits there is one of these officers for every town or district, and in some of them assistant registrars in addition.

There is a high bailiff to every circuit appointed by the judge, and the bailiff appoints his assistants.

There are in connection with the sixty circuits, twenty-three officers, known as Treasurers, who are appointed by the Commissioners of the Treasury. Each treasurer has a certain number of districts assigned to him, in which he audits quarterly the account of the clerks, who account to him for all fees and fines received by them and pay over all moneys remaining after the payment of their own fees and the current expenditure of the office. The treasurer pays

for the erection and repair of court-houses, the salaries of judges, &c., and accounts himself to an audit board, to the commissioners of which board the clerks transmit an account of all moneys paid by them to the treasurer.

The jurisdiction of the County Courts extends to all *debts*, *damages* or *demands* not exceeding £50, or when the balance remaining does not exceed that amount; but they cannot take cognizance of any action of ejectment or where the title to any corporeal or incorporeal hereditament, or any toll, fair, market or franchise is in question nor of actions for malicious prosecution, libel, slander, criminal conversation or breach of promise of marriage nor upon any judgment of a Superior Court, nor against a Justice of the Peace for acts done in the execution of his office, or if, in actions upon contract the plaintiff's claim exceeds £20, or in tort the plaintiff's claim is more than £5, and the defendant dissents to the jurisdiction, and gives security in the amount of £150 to pay whatever may be recovered in an action brought in one of the superior courts, the action in the County Court, must be abandoned and the plaintiff, must sue in the higher court. If both parties agree, or their attorneys in writing, the court has jurisdiction to try any of the above excepted actions or any action, though the amount be beyond £50.

Where the plaintiff dwells more than twenty miles from the defendant, or where the cause of action did not arise wholly or in some material part within the jurisdiction of the Court of the Circuit where the defendant dwells, the action may, if the plaintiff so elects, be brought in a Superior Court.

If an action for debt, damages or demand, not exceeding £50, is brought in a Superior Court, no costs can be recovered, the effect of which is to confine such actions to the county courts.

Actions between partners for the recovery of an unliquidated balance not exceeding £50, or for the distributive share under an intestacy, or for a legacy within that limit, or of replevin in cases of distress for rent in arrear, or for *damage feasant*, or for duties or penalties due the customs to the extent of £100, or for illegal seizures by custom house officers, where the damage claimed does not exceed £50, may be brought in the County Court: or a Judge of a Superior Court, where the claim does not exceed £50, or where it is

reduced by set-off or payment to that amount, may, on the application of one of the parties, order the case to be tried in the County Court. The County Court, until recently, had equitable jurisdiction, under certain limitations, in charitable trusts where the annual income of the charity did not exceed £30, and under the acts relating to charitable, friendly, provident and industrial societies, and scientific and literary institutions and joint stock companies act, it has a certain limited equitable jurisdiction, and judges of the court may take the acknowledgment of deeds by married women. And now, by 28 and 29 Vict., chap. 99, the County Court has full equitable jurisdiction where the amount in controversy does not exceed £500, in cases of administration, execution of trusts, foreclosures, specific performance, dissolution of partnership, maintenance and advancement of infants, &c., &c. The salaries of the judges are increased £300 per year. No judge need hold any court in September. An appeal lies to the Vice Chancellor. One County Court has power to transfer causes to another like court for more convenient hearing. In certain cases, it has probate jurisdiction, which will be more fully noticed under the title of probate courts.

The mode of procedure is summary.

The judge tries the cause, unless where the amount is beyond £5, one of the parties demands a jury. The jury consists of five persons qualified to serve in the Courts of Assize of the county, city or borough.

The judge may direct the judgment to be collected by installments, or he may stay the collection or the payment of the installments temporarily, in cases where the party is unable from sickness or other sufficient cause to discharge the debt.

The judge may in his discretion grant a new trial.

These courts are organized under the following acts: 9 and 10 Vic., c. 95 (28 Aug., 1846); 12 and 13 Vic., c. 101 (1 Aug., 1849); 13 and 14 Vic., c. 61 (14 Aug., 1850); 15 and 16 Vic., c. 54 (30 June, 1852); 19 and 20 Vic., c. 108 (29 July, 1856); 28 and 29 Vic., c. 99 (1865).

SECTION V.

The Higher Common Law Courts.

This section excludes Equity Courts, Admiralty, Probate and Divorce Courts, which will be separately considered.

I.

The Common Pleas.

The jurisdiction of this court is well known. It is mentioned in *Magna Charta*, and was at that early day fixed at Westminster. Its jurisdiction includes all civil actions between subject and subject. It consists of a chief justice and four *puisne* judges. An appeal lies from this court to the Exchequer Chamber, which is in that case composed of the judges of the Courts of Queen's Bench and the Exchequer.

II.

The Court of King's or Queen's Bench.

The jurisdiction of this court is both civil and criminal. It also keeps inferior courts within the bounds of their authority, commands magistrates and others to do their duty when there is no other specific remedy, and superintends all civil corporations. It consists of a chief justice and four *puisne* judges. An appeal lies from its decisions to the Exchequer Chamber, which in that case consists of the judges of the Courts of Common Pleas and Exchequer.

III.

The Court of Exchequer.

This court was at one time both a court of law and a court of equity. Its jurisdiction as a court of equity is abolished and transferred to the Court of Chancery, 5 Vict., c. 5. It is now only a court of law and revenue.

Its ordinary jurisdiction as a court of law was originally gained by a legal fiction. It may now be said that nearly every civil case can be brought before this court, though it can not issue the prerogative writs of the Queen's Bench. It consists of a Chief Baron and four *puisne* Barons; an appeal lies from this court to the Exchequer Chamber, which in that case consists of the Queen's Bench and Common Pleas.

It is enacted by 13 Wm. III., c. 2, that the Commissions of the judges of the superior courts shall be made during good behavior and their salaries ascertained and established, but that they may be removed on address of both Houses of Parliament. By 1 Geo. III., c. 23, and 1 Ann. St. 1, c. 8, they are continued in office notwithstanding the death of the king for six months after such decease. The rule of life tenure was adopted "because the independence and uprightness of the judges was looked upon as essential to the impartial administration of justice, as one of the best securities of the rights and liberties of the people, and as most conducive to the honor of the State," Commons Journals, 3d March, 1761. Provision is made for a retiring pension after fifteen years' service.

IV.

The Commission of Assize and Nisi Prius.

The object of this commission is to try such causes in the great courts of Common Pleas, Queen's Bench and Exchequer, as are ripe for trial by jury. It is composed of two or more commissioners, of whom a judge of the superior courts or a sergeant at law or barrister of certain standing must be one, who are twice in every year (except in certain northern counties), to hold circuit or "Nisi Prius" courts in each county. This rule does not apply to London and Middlesex, where courts of this kind are held much more frequently to accommodate the pressure of business. The practical result of this system is, that the judges of each of these courts try questions of fact with a jury and also sit in *banc* to review the decisions which are made in the court below. It is substantially the system now existing in this State, and permits a judge to review in *banc* his own rulings at *Nisi Prius*. The commission may be held by a barrister who is not a judge; and whose functions cease when the circuit is over. In this way the government can determine the capacity of a barrister to act as judge without permanently appointing him.

SECTION VI.

Courts of Equity, of Original Jurisdiction.

The Courts of Equity comprise three Vice Chancellors, a Master of the Rolls, two Lords Justices, the Lord Chancellor, and the Chancellor of the Duchy Court of Lancaster. As the latter is a local court it will not be described. An appeal lies in equity cases to the House of Lords.

I.

The Courts of the Vice Chancellors.

The first act upon this subject, 53 Geo. III, c. 24 (23 March, 1813), created a single Vice Chancellor, known as the Vice Chancellor of England. Under a late act, 5 Vict., c. 5, two additional Vice Chancellors were created. This last statute substantially provided that each of the Vice Chancellors should hold a separate court, and might exercise all the jurisdiction of the Court of Chancery, subject to the appellate jurisdiction of the Chancellor. There can be no appeal from one Vice Chancellor's decision to another. The tribunals of the Vice Chancellors, form substantially three separate courts of original jurisdiction in equity.

II.

The Master of the Rolls.

This officer, who was originally the chief of the masters in chancery, has, for a long period, administered justice in a separate court. His jurisdiction, which was for a long time in dispute, and which formed the subject of a learned examination, attributed to Lord Hardwicke, is now regulated and defined by the statutes of 3 Geo. II, c. 80, and by 3 and 4 W. IV, c. 94. An appeal lies from his judgment to the Lord Chancellor, or to the Court of Appeal in Chancery. Thus, by reason of this tribunal, there is substantially a fourth Court of Equity of original jurisdiction. The Master of the Rolls is also custodian of the public records. 1 and 2 Vict., c. 94. This judge is sometimes a peer, and can, in that case, of course, participate in the judicial business of the House of Lords. This is the case with the present judge, Lord Romilly.

III.

The Court of Appeal in Chancery.

The office of Lords Justices was created by 14 and 15 Vict., c. 83. This act provided for a Court in Chancery consisting of two Lords Justices and the Lord Chancellor. In practice, the court is held, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, by the two Lords Justices. It may be held, however, by one of the justices with the Lord Chancellor, or by the Lord Chancellor alone. It is only the judicial powers of the Court of Chancery that are vested in this tribunal. The salary of each Lord Justice is £6,000, with provision in certain

cases of a retiring annuity of £3,750, after a fixed number of years of service (15). An appeal lies to this tribunal from the decisions of the Vice Chancellors and Master of the Rolls.

This court, though always well manned, is considered by the best judges to have a faulty construction, as the judges often differ in opinion, whereupon, the case substantially remains undecided. In such a case there is a technical affirmance of the decree of the lower court.

All the equity judges already noticed hold offices during good behavior, in the manner described respecting the judges of the courts of law.

IV.

The Court of the Lord Chancellor.

The jurisdiction of the Chancellor is of two kinds: ordinary and extraordinary. In the ordinary jurisdiction he observes the order and method of the common law; the extraordinary jurisdiction is that which he exercises as a court of equity.

The jurisdiction of this court is so well known that it is unnecessary to do more than allude to it. The Chancellor holds his office, not for life, but at the will of the sovereign. An appeal lies from his judgments to the House of Lords. He hears appeals from the Vice Chancellors and Master of the Rolls, either alone or as a member of the Court of Chancery appeal.

SECTION VII.

Courts of Probate, Divorce and Admiralty.

I.

Courts of Probate.

It is well known that our own Surrogates' Courts are modelled on the plan which formerly existed in England. The system now abandoned in England still remains in force here.

This change in the English system occurred in 1857. By 20 and 21 Vict., c. 77, as modified by 21 and 22 Vict., an entirely new plan was introduced. The voluntary and contentious jurisdiction of ecclesiastical and other courts having probate powers ceased. It is hereafter to be exercised by a Court of Probate, having a single

judge, who holds his office during good behavior. He must be an advocate of ten years' standing or a barrister of fifteen years' standing. He receives a salary of £4,000, or in case he discharges the duties of either the Court of Admiralty or of Divorce, or of both, £5,000. A provision is made for a retiring pension.

This court is a Court of Record, having the powers of the former Courts of Probate. There can be no suit brought therein for legacies, or for the administration of assets. A common law judge may sit with the judge of the Court of Probate. It has the same powers over practitioners as common law and equity judges. The judge may try questions of fact with a jury, or may send the issue to trial in a court of law. The issue in each case is framed in writing under the direction of the court, which has the same power over the subsequent proceedings as a common law or equity judge. The judge may sit at chambers with the same power as in open court. The court may appoint receivers *pendente lite*.

The decision of the court in testamentary causes, when made "in solemn form" is conclusive, both upon real and personal estate, if heirs and others persons interested have been duly cited, though probate may be revoked by the court. If the will is proved "in common form," and without opposition, it may be made conclusive in any particular action where its validity might otherwise be drawn in question in this manner: The party who desires to sustain the will may give ten days' notice that he intends to offer the will in evidence, whereupon if the other party intends to dispute it, he must give four days' notice of such intention.

An appeal lies from decisions in contentious causes to the House of Lords.

When personal property is duly sworn to be worth £200, and real estate £300, the County Court has contentious jurisdiction, with an appeal to the Court of Probate.

The formal business of probate is transacted in the following manner; there is a principal registry at London and forty district registries. In each district, there is a district registrar; in the principal registry, there are four registrars, with record keepers and other officers. The registrars and district registrars are appointed by the

judge, and hold office during good behavior; clerks are appointed by the registrar for whom they act, with the sanction of the judge. Some of the officers are removable by the Lord Chancellor, and others by the judge, with the assent of the Chancellor. Registrars and district registrars must be attorneys or solicitors, and are not permitted to practice law. They have the same general powers as surrogates formerly had; they may grant probate in common form in the name of the Court of Probate. They cannot proceed in contentious causes; when the district registrar is in doubt, respecting his duty to grant or refuse probate, he refers the case in writing to the judge, who may allow or forbid the application or require it to be made at the principal registry.

Whenever probate is applied for at the district registry, the registrar immediately gives notice to the principal registrar, who informs him in turn whether there is any other application pending in any other district upon the same estate. Application for probate may be made directly to the principal registrar, instead of to the district registrars.

Lists of all grants of probate and administration are sent within a limited time to the principal registrar.

II.

The Court of Divorce.

Until 1857, divorces could only be had by special act of Parliament. By 20 and 21, Vict., c. 21, and 22 Vict., 108; 23 and 24 Vict., c. 144, now made perpetual, a court of divorce was created, and its jurisdiction defined.

This court is composed of the Judge of Probate, Lord Chancellor, and the fifteen Judges of the common law courts. The Probate Judge is made Judge Ordinary, and may act alone or with the other judges. In his temporary absence, the Lord Chancellor may select from the fifteen judges a temporary Judge Ordinary.

The court acts on the former principles of the Ecclesiastical Courts. It may dissolve a marriage, award alimony and damages against an adulterer, and make a decree respecting the custody of children. Any judge may try questions of fact with a jury, and may grant new trials. The Judge may act at chambers with the same power

as in court. This tribunal has the same power over practitioners as the common law and equity courts. An appeal lies from the decisions of the judge to the full court (which is organized under court rules), thence to the House of Lords. The judge may exercise all the powers of the full court, in which case an appeal lies directly to the House of Lords.

. This court may also entertain jurisdiction of cases where a declaration of legitimacy is asked for. This declaration is final against all parties cited. 21 and 22 Vict., c. 93.

No action against an adulterer "for criminal conversation," can now be entertained in the common law courts, but proceedings must be had before this tribunal.

The Registrars of the Court of Probate are the Registrars of this court.

III.

The Court of Admiralty.

As there is no State court in this State having admiralty jurisdiction, it is unnecessary to do more than to mention this tribunal. The High Court of Admiralty is held by a single judge. On the retirement of the incumbent in office when the "Probate Act" was passed (1857), the Queen may appoint the Probate Judge to sit in the Court of Admiralty. Under these provisions, the Crown may appoint the same person judge of the three courts—Probate, Divorce and Admiralty—and it is undoubtedly the intention of Parliament that the ordinary powers of these three courts should be in practice exercised by the same person.

SECTION VIII:

The Criminal Courts.

The criminal courts may be divided into the superior and inferior. The inferior are the general and quarter sessions of the peace. The superior embrace the assizes, including the commissions of Oyer and Terminer, general gaol delivery, assize, and Nisi Prius. There are also, to be mentioned in this connection, courts held under special commissions, the Admiralty Sessions, the Court of King's Bench, and the Central Criminal Court.

Title I. The Inferior Criminal Courts.

The term, "sessions of the peace," is employed to designate a sitting of justices of the peace, of which there are four kinds, petty, special, quarter and general sessions. The general and quarter sessions only require notice. The general sessions is a court of record. The court may be divided into two branches for the despatch of business. By statute, it must be held four times a year, and oftener, if occasion shall require. When held at the regular period it is called the quarter sessions; at other times, the general sessions. In the county of Middlesex the same persons are commissioned to hold the sessions and a Court of Oyer and Terminer, at the sessions house, in the Old Bailey.

Though the court of quarter sessions has, theoretically, jurisdiction over felonies, yet practically, except in Middlesex, it only entertains cognizance of petty larcenies and misdemeanors. Cases may be removed into the King's Bench on certiorari. There are also quarter sessions held in corporate towns and boroughs by justices of their own. By 5 and 6 Vict., c. 53, and 7 and 8 Vict., c. 50, counties and boroughs may unite and form district courts.

Title II. The higher Criminal Courts.

I.

The Assizes.

These are held before commissioners, among whom are usually two of the common law judges. They are held twice in every year in every county, except the four northern ones, where they are held only once, and except London and Middlesex, where they are held eight times. For the purpose of holding these courts, England is divided into six circuits.

The commissioners sit by virtue of five commissions: a commission of the peace, of oyer and terminer, general gaol delivery, and the commissions of assize and *Nisi Prius*. Though the last two named are, in general, commissions of a civil nature, and have been previously mentioned, they give a somewhat extended criminal jurisdiction to the judges, as, for example, when an indictment is removed by certiorari, and is tried at *Nisi Prius*. The same persons are entrusted with all these commissions, so that they may pro-

ceed under all at the same time. Those only which demand special notice are the "oyer and terminer" and gaol delivery.

The commission of oyer and terminer is directed to a considerable number of persons, of whom the judges, sergeants at law and King's counsel therein mentioned must attend. They can only proceed upon an indictment found at the same assizes before themselves. They have jurisdiction over felonies and misdemeanors, whether the offender is or is not in custody.

The commission of gaol delivery is only directed to judicial persons, and authorizes the delivery of the gaol of a particular town named in the commission. They may try indictments found before other justices as well as before themselves; but cannot, in general, proceed unless the offender is in actual or constructive custody.

The judges who take the circuits, are in each case appointed by the fiat of the King, under the assistance of the Lord Chancellor.

There are also special commissions of Oyer and Terminer on extraordinary occasions. The course of proceeding resembles that followed under the ordinary commissions.

II.

The Admiralty Sessions.

As there is no Admiralty Court under the laws of this State, an account of the English system is omitted. The court is described in 1 Chitty's Criminal Law, p. 153, 156.

III

The King's Bench.

This is the highest court of ordinary criminal justice. It has jurisdiction over all criminal cases; misdemeanors are prosecuted by information, and felonies by indictment. The business of this court relates principally to prosecutions by informations and indictments removed into it from other courts by *certiorari*.

V.

The Central Criminal Court.

This court was created by 4 and 5 William IV, c. 36, and 7 W. IV and 1. Vict., c. 77. The first act provided for the erection of a

district, to be composed of counties and parts of counties. For the purposes of criminal justice, the district was to be regarded as one county, though it embraced London and Middlesex, and parts of Kent and Surrey. Juries may be taken wholly from one county, or from the several counties, indiscriminately.

This is a high court of original jurisdiction, composed of the Lord Mayor of London, the Lord Chancellor, the common law judges, the aldermen, recorder, and others named in the act. Any two or more may hold the court. This tribunal includes the court of general gaol delivery for London and Middlesex. The quarter sessions are restrained within the district from trying certain aggravated crimes. Indictments found at the sessions may be removed into this court by *certiorari*. It has jurisdiction over offenses committed on the high seas. Its sessions are held in London or its suburbs, twelve times a year.

SECTION IX.

The Strictly Appellate Courts.

These consist of the Court of Exchequer Chamber, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council, the House of Lords, and the Court of Criminal Appeal.

I.

The Court of Exchequer Chamber.

This is a court consisting of the common law judges who are not members of the court in which the action was originally tried. Thus, if the action is brought in the Common Pleas, the appellate court consists of the judges of the Queen's Bench and Exchequer. The same remark applies to the other courts. Briefly, it may be said that the system provides an appeal from five common law judges to ten.

II.

The Judicial Committee of the Privy Council.

This is now the great Court of Appeal in cases of admiralty, cases from the colonial courts and Indian appeals, as well as cases involving the extension of patents. It was organized by 2 and 3 W. IV, c. 92, 3 and 4 W. IV, c. 41, and 6 and 7 Vict., c. 38. It is

a court of record, having power to punish contempt, &c. It is composed of the President of the Council, the Lord Chancellor, the Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench, the Master of the Rolls, the Lords Justices of the Court of Appeal in Chancery, the Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, the Lord Chief Baron, Judges and ex-Judges of the Court of Probate and the Court of Admiralty, two members who have been judges in India or the Colonies, and two persons specially designated by the Crown. This court comprises, at the very least, from twenty to twenty-four individuals, while a quorum consists of four persons, although appeals may be heard under *special order* by three persons. 2 Macqueen R., 595. The peculiarities of this court are that it has no chief, as the Lord President is not a legal functionary; its members hold office during the pleasure of the Crown, as members of the Privy Council, instead of during good behavior, which is the usual tenure. 2 Macqueen R., 612. "Its members sit at a table and are less like a court than any other judicial body in the world." There is an objection to the organization of this tribunal growing out of the fact that it is impossible to tell in advance who will hold the court. On the other hand it is advantageous to be able to select as members of the court persons who have made the topic in question a special and particular study. Thus in the decision of cases coming from India, members of the Privy Council will be selected who have had judicial experience in the law of that country. This court proceeds, in certain cases, according to the course of the civil law; may order witnesses to be examined on appeal; may direct issues at common law, and remit a cause to the court below for a rehearing.

The cardinal objection to the scheme is that there are two co-ordinate courts of final appeal; the House of Lords and this judicial committee. There is thus danger of a conflict of decision and of precedent. A certain class of cases reaches final adjudication in the one court, and a certain class in the other. It cannot be denied that the decisions of this committee have been highly satisfactory, owing to the eminent ability of the men who have participated in them. It has been recently recommended by eminent gentlemen that instead of a double appellate court, there should be something resembling a judicial committee of the House of Lords, upon which leading lawyers might be placed who are not members of the House

of Peers. They might report to the House of Lords, which would rarely if ever differ from the report. The judicial committee of the Privy Council might thus be abrogated. The present organization is due to the recommendation and exertions of Lord Brougham.

III.

The House of Lords, acting Judicially.

Theoretically, this court consists of the entire number of the House of Lords; practically, none participate in decisions except those who are known as "law lords," being persons who are peers, and are acting judicially, or who have theretofore held judicial positions. The House may call in the common law judges to advise and assist them. They cannot give a decision, nor even ask a question, and their advice may be overruled, 2 Macqueen R. 582, 599. The equity judges cannot be summoned except they are Privy Councillors.

The difference between the theoretical and practical organization of the House of Lords leads to results sufficiently curious. As a matter of theory "there is nothing in the resolution of the House, nor in law or any thing except the general understanding and practice of the House which would debar any half dozen of the House coming down, and sitting upon appeals and overruling the Law Lords." In practice, the only use of the lay lords is to constitute a quorum. As the rules require that three should constitute a quorum, when only one or two "law lords" are present, one or two lay peers must be called in simply to form a quorum. They are termed in ridicule, "lay figures," take no part in the decision, and do not feel bound to pay any attention to the proceedings. On a recent occasion, the Lord Chancellor alone constituted the "House of Lords" with two lay peers to form a quorum. He may thus sit on appeal from his own decision, and his vote alone will sometimes affirm his own decision, 2 Macq. R. 584, note. Ordinarily the court consists of from three to five "law lords."

The leading objections to this court are: (1.) That its members are not bound to attend. As the attendance of members is gratuitous and voluntary, they are frequently absent. (2.) It holds its sessions only during the sitting of Parliament, so that there is much delay in the disposition of causes. (3.) It has lost much of its hold

upon the public esteem by the spectacle of single judges sitting in review of their own decisions. Mr. Lewis says: "The paucity of legal members, the absence of any constitutional obligation upon legal members (except the Chancellor) to attend the transaction of judicial business, the irregularity of attendance which the engrossing avocations of those who hold judicial office elsewhere renders in their case unavoidable, the advanced years to which most have in general attained, who, by success in forensic life, reach the peerage—these circumstances have led to a want of confidence in the constitution of this high court, and a feeling of uncertainty in its administration of justice, which has occasionally been justified by the spectacle of one peer sitting in error from the judgment of a court composed of a plurality of judges; or again, the decision of judges specially versed and accomplished in the branch of jurisprudence involved, reviewed by a peer or peers having no such experience, and endowed with no such special knowledge; or again, two peers only attending and differing; or lastly, a single peer sitting alone in one character to adjudicate upon a complaint against the decisions already pronounced by him in another." Papers of Juridical Society, Vol. 1, 142.

In order to relieve some of the difficulties of the case, a "deputy speaker," who is a member of the bar, is sometimes appointed. He is not permitted to deliver his opinion in the House, but must retire to an adjoining room, where he can speak. After thus delivering his opinion, he returns to his seat, and remains silent. Then a layman, who is a peer, may move for judgment in accordance with his opinion.

It would seem that the whole of this awkward and complicated machinery might be avoided, if the simple method already alluded to was adopted. A judicial committee of the House of Lords might be constituted, which should report its decisions to the House, where they might be formally affirmed.

There is a subordinate committee in the House of Lords which attends to much of the formal business connected with appeals, disposing of points of practice.

IV.

Court of Criminal Appeal.

This court is established by 11 and 12 Vict., c. 78. This statute provides that when a person has been convicted before a court of Oyer and Terminer, gaol delivery or quarter sessions, the judges before whom the cause was tried may reserve the questions of law arising on the trial for the consideration of the common law judges. A quorum consists of five members, of whom one shall be chief justice, or chief baron of one of the superior courts. The questions are presented upon "a case," and are argued as before a court in full bench and judgment delivered. The court may make such order in the matter as justice may require, and on reversal may pronounce the proper judgment, or remit the record to the court below for the proper judgment. See 3 Cox's Criminal Cases, Appendix, 3.

SECTION X.

Courts not described.

There is a considerable number of courts which are here mentioned simply for the sake of completeness. They are the courts of law and chancery in the counties palatine of Lancaster and Durham, the Court of Bankruptcy, Courts Martial, Court of Chivalry, Courts Baron, Court of the two Universities, Court for the trial of Impeachments and of the Lord High Steward. These courts are not described at length, as they are either local in their character, or their nature is such as to shed little light upon our own judicial system.

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CHAPTER III.

THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF SCOTLAND.

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SECTION I.

As to judicial jurisdiction, Scotland and England, although politically under the same crown, and under the supreme sway of one united legislature, are to be considered as independent foreign countries, unconnected with each other. Cases of a judicial nature are to be treated as if they had occurred in the reign of Queen Elizabeth. A decree of the English Court of Chancery is not entitled to more respect in Scotland than a decree (interlocutor) of the Scottish Court of Session in England. 4 Macqueen R. 49, 50. English judges are not to be consulted on Scotch appeals. 3 *id.* 691. For these reasons, the examination of Scotch jurisdiction will be entirely independent and separate from that of England.

SECTION II.

The general organization of the Scotch courts at the present time is as follows: 1 Justices of the Peace. 2. Sheriffs and Sheriffs' Substitute. 3. The Court of Session. 4. The Bill Chamber. 5. The High Court of Justiciary. 6. The Court of Exchequer. 7. The Court of Teinds. 8. Local Courts. The fourth, fifth, sixth and seventh courts are composed of members of the Court of Sessions.

SECTION III.

Justices of the Peace.

These are appointed by commission under the Great Seal. Their number is not limited. No pecuniary or other property qualification is required. They continue in office until six months after the death of the Sovereign who appoints them.

In criminal matters the precise limit of their powers is doubtful, except where they are specially conferred by statute. Any two or more of their number hold, in districts in their respective counties, a court of "petty sessions," in which the majority of criminal cases coming before justices is tried. The whole body of justices in the county hold the Quarter Sessions, hearing appeals from the petty sessions.

The justices also have civil jurisdiction in "small debt" causes, conferred upon them by statute. The amount in question must not exceed £5. They are required to hear the parties *viva voce*, and may examine them with or without oath, and may also swear witnesses. The pleadings must be oral. Any debt found due may be ordered to be paid by installments. No appeal is allowed except upon the ground of malice or oppression, though a rehearing may in certain cases be had before the justices themselves. The jurisdiction thus conferred does not extend to cases of title to land.

SECTION IV.

Court of the Sheriff or Sheriff's Substitute.

The sheriff is the principal local judge of the county. He possesses both civil and criminal jurisdiction. In civil matters it extends to all actions upon contract and for damages, but not for heritable property. Each sheriff has one or more substitutes by whom the principal part of the judicial business is performed. In fact, the judicial office of the sheriff is principally nominal. The substitutes are appointed by the sheriff but are not removable except with the consent of the judges of the Court of Session. On this system cases are heard in the first instance by the sheriff substitute, whereupon the unsuccessful party may, by a simple proceeding, appeal to the sheriff, and from him in proper cases to the Court of Session. The theory of judicial organization which permits a judge to appoint a deputy, is justly objected to by text writers, and is a remnant of an ancient usage which permitted all judges to delegate their authority. Glassford on Scotch courts, p. 35.

By recent statutes, power has been conferred on the sheriff to exercise a summary jurisdiction in cases of "small debts" not exceeding £12. The rules adopted in this class of cases are not materially different from those which prevail in Justices' Courts.

No written pleadings are allowed without special leave of the court. Circuits to try these causes are held in different parts of the county, in some instances as often as once a month. Appeals lie to the Court of Justiciary (a criminal court to be hereafter described), only on grounds of corruption, malice, oppression, deviation from statutory forms indicating willfulness, incompetency and defect of jurisdiction. This court must be a popular one, as the amount to which its jurisdiction applies has recently been extended from £8 to £12. Parties may by mutual consent provide that causes of a larger amount than £12 may be heard in a summary way.

In other cases, the right of appeal is limited so that the sheriff's decision is final, unless the amount exceeds £25. Where the right of appeal exists there may be a stipulation that one appeal shall be final.

The sheriff has also criminal jurisdiction in all cases which do not infer death or banishment from Scotland. This extensive jurisdiction can by recent statutes, only be exercised with a jury. He also acts as a ministerial officer in analogy to his duties under our own law.

The sheriff and his deputy or substitute, must be an advocate of three years' standing. The substitute must be certified by the Lord President of the court of session or the Lord Chief Justice's Clerk, to be duly qualified to hold the office. The office of sheriff is held during good behavior, though there is a provision for a pension after long service. He may be removed for malfeasance in office by a proceeding on the part of the Attorney-General or of four freeholders, before the court of session.

SECTION V.

Courts of which the Judges of the Court of Session are members.

I. *Court of Session.*

All cases of a civil nature may be heard by the court of session, whether they be common law, equity, admiralty or probate, with the exception of cases specially affected by act of Parliament, and those involving a pecuniary amount not exceeding £25, which must be brought in an inferior court.

This court has a double function, being both a tribunal of original jurisdiction and a court of review. Its organization has varied much from time to time. It originally consisted of fifteen members. As a court of original jurisdiction it consisted of a single judge, whose duties were ascertained by a complicated system of rotation. As an appellate court, it was composed of the fifteen judges. This was an absurd arrangement, and the court was an object of ridicule, even by grave judicial functionaries. Lord Eldon gives the following anecdote from the bench: He said "we shall get the House of Lords into the same difficulty as Sir James Boswell once placed me. I had the honor of arguing a case before the bar of the House of Lords with him, and being senior in the profession, I stated with all humility the extreme pressure under which I labored, for I was to argue against the unanimous opinion of the fifteen judges. He came to the bar (with what degree of modesty is not for me to determine), but he blamed me to the House for prejudicing the cause of my client, stating that when the judges differed they thought very little about the matter, and when they agreed, they thought nothing at all about it." 4 Wilson and Shaw, 211. Mr. Black, editor of the Morning Chronicle, said the court of fifteen was a regular bear garden, although some of the judges, more pacific than the others, slept on the bench during the argument, particularly Lord A., who had to be roused to give his vote. The Lord President in telling the division would ask, "My Lord A., how does your lordship vote?" Lord A. fairly awake, would answer by a counter question, "How does my Lord Justice Clerk vote?" The President would reply, "My Lord Justice Clerk *adheres*," upon which Lord A. would at once tender his vote thus, "Then I adhere." His Lordship having thus discharged his duty would resume his nap, for he was extremely comatose. 2 Macqueen, 685.

The feebleness of the Court affected professional opinion so much as to suggest a change in its organization. In 1807, it was proposed to divide the Court of fifteen into three courts of five judges each, one of them to try causes with juries, and another with a chancellor at its head, acting as an intermediate court of appeal between the Court of Sessions and the House of Lords. Public opinion was strongly divided in respect to this plan. David Hume headed the opposition, and Walter Scott is said to have shed tears over the abolition of the old court.

The plan ultimately adopted consisted in an organization of the court which will now be explained.

The number of the court was reduced to thirteen. For the purpose of original jurisdiction a single judge is selected, who is called "Lord Ordinary." Of these there are five who do not in general participate in the deliberations of the judges who form the appellate branch of the court. They are the five junior judges. At one time these Lords sat in the appellate court on a system of rotation, but as that course is no longer adopted, they are called "permanent Lords Ordinary." They are also designated as the "Outer House." The eight other judges, when collectively contrasted with "the Lords Ordinary," are known as the "Inner House." They are divided into two divisions of four each. The Chief Judge in the first division bears the title of Lord President, and the same officer in the second division is the Lord Justice Clerk.

Should an attempt be made to compare this system with theories with which we are familiar, it might be said that the Lords Ordinary answer in many respects to the Circuit Judge and Vice Chancellor of the New York Constitution of 1821, while the first and second divisions of the Inner House correspond substantially to a double Supreme Court of that Constitution. This remark, however, is only true in general, for there are many essential points of difference between the two systems. Thus the Lords Ordinary, acting singly, may still hear appeals from decisions in the Sheriff's court, though if a motion is made by either party, an appeal may be taken directly to the court of review without first being heard by the Lord Ordinary. 13 and 14 Vict., c. 36, § 32. So on the other hand, there are occasions in which the judges of the "Outer House" are called in to act as members of the court of review, as when one of that body is necessarily absent or sick. There are also cases of great difficulty in which the opinion of the thirteen judges is taken. It is thus perceived that while at first sight there would appear to be three courts, yet for some purposes the old theory of a single tribunal still remains.

(1). *The permanent Lords Ordinary.*

The inference would readily be made from what has been said that causes must be heard before a single judge before they can be

presented to a full bench of four judges. There are, however, cases of an extraordinary nature in which the "Inner House" has original jurisdiction. So the Lord Ordinary can refer a cause to the division of the Inner House, to which he is for the time being attached. This is technically called "great avisandum." It is doubtful whether he can thus refer a question occurring in the course of a trial, though in a recent case the judges said they would be glad to give him informally the benefit of their advice. 24 Sessions Cases, 300, (A. D., 1862.)

The mode of determining before what Lord Ordinary any particular case shall be heard is singular. When a cause is brought into court, the party bringing the action, and in some few cases, the respondent (13 and 14 Viot., c. 46, § 33), indicates before what judge he wishes the case to proceed, and to what division of the court of review he wishes to go in case of an appeal. The Lord Ordinary selected is deemed for the time being to be attached to the division in which the appeal is to be heard. This restriction has lately been added, that if the business accumulates too much in one tribunal, the president may re-distribute it among the respective judges.

The discussion before the Lord Ordinary is often very elaborate and extensive. The regular course is to pronounce judgment at the close of the argument. He may, however, in general, take the cause for private consideration. This is not necessarily the case, for in some instances a regular order of court is necessary. This consideration is called "avisandum."

The judgment of the Lord Ordinary, unless appealed from, has the effect of a judgment of either division.

Trial by jury in civil cases did not exist until 1815. In that year great improvements were introduced into procedure through a royal commission. The leading changes, besides the introduction of juries, consisted in a system of pleadings, the use of oral instead of written arguments, and the earlier finality of judgments. Before that time, all testimony was taken on commission; records were unknown, and single judgments were not final. Says Cockburn: "The change was opposed by resolutions in every burgh and county in Scotland. The town councils and lairds were unanimously against it. The

zeal of those opposed was extraordinary, but every commissioner was in favor of it, and it was adopted." P. 385.

There is now, a separate roll of causes, called a "jury roll." There are but few causes tried by a jury, as a matter of course, and in general it is discretionary with the court whether there shall be a jury trial or not. This mode of trial is said by high authority still to be an "exotic" in Scotland, and issues are often so loosely framed as to call for animadversion in the House of Lords. The Lords Ordinary act as circuit judges, unless different arrangements are made by the Court of Session. An appeal lies to the proper division of the "inner house," either on a bill of exceptions (and it must in that case be brought in with great promptness), or on the ground that the judgment is not sustained by the verdict. Jury issues may, by consent of the parties, be tried by the judge, without a jury. He must, in that case, find the facts specifically. He may review his findings upon his own minutes, when after argument, he may correct them or order a new trial. His findings of fact are final, unless they proceed on erroneous conclusions of law, such as the improper admission or rejection of evidence. Instead of a regular jury, the parties may select three, five or seven persons, who are sworn and sit as a jury. Exceptions may be taken to the rulings of the judge, but no new trial can be had on the ground that the verdict is against evidence. This appears to be a combination of an arbitration and a trial.

(2). *The Inner House.*

Without further pursuing the proceedings of the Lords Ordinary, we now recur to the more detailed consideration of the organization of the Court of Session, acting as a court of appellate jurisdiction. Appeals are made in two ways—one by "reclaiming note," the other by "advocation"—the former being from the Lord Ordinary, and the latter from an inferior court. A very marked distinction is made between the presiding judge and the other judges. Thus, the Lord President receives a salary £4,800, the Lord Justice Clerk of £4,500, and each of the other judges £3,000. There are also indications in the cases that the opinions of the presiding judges have somewhat greater authority than the others, or, in the language of an old English judge, "that opinions are weighed rather than counted."

The mode adopted for disposing of causes is somewhat peculiar. There is a difference between the discussion of a cause and "hearing" it. The word "hearing" has a technical meaning and implies an elaborate oral argument, while in many discussions on appeal, a case which may have been elaborately discussed before the Lord Ordinary, is disposed of in a few minutes. This peculiarity grows out of an old practice, the effects of which are not entirely removed.

Whenever a vacancy occurs in either division, any judge of the other division may at his request be appointed to fill the vacancy. The vacancy occasioned by his transfer is filled by the appointment of the senior "permanent Lord Ordinary." If no transfer is made, the original vacancy is supplied by the appointment of the senior permanent Lords Ordinary. In this manner the Appellate Court is continually recruited by appointment from the judges of original jurisdiction.

It is manifest that there are two objections to an appellate court so organized. One is that as it consists of four, there may be an equality of voices, and consequently no judgment; the other is, that as there are two co-ordinate courts, there may be opposing decisions, and no valid precedent established. The modes devised for meeting or palliating the difficulties thus occasioned will now be detailed.

In the first case of an equality of voices, the case is reserved for further discussion. The permanent Lord Ordinary who heard the cause may be called in to attend the re-hearing, and the court, thus consisting of five judges, a majority may be obtained. It is also provided by statute, that when either division is equally divided, they may call in three judges of the other house, when a majority shall decide the cause, though it is deemed to be the judgment of the division before which the case is pending. 13 and 14 Vict., c. 36, § 35.

In respect to the second case, it is plain that the organization of a double appellate court is open to the objection of causing uncertainty in the law. Says Glassford: "Although the two courts are denominated, First and Second Chambers of Session, and are still understood and declared to form a sole and aggregate body for cer-

tain special purposes; yet in regard to all the important and significant ends of such establishments, they are by their constitution co-ordinate and supreme courts having independent authority. But where two courts holding jurisdiction of the same pleas have also an equal supremacy, it is plain that the law may be differently interpreted by them, and certain that at some period the discrepancy will take place." Pp. 66, 67.

It is provided by statute that it shall be competent to the judges of either division, in cases which shall appear to be of importance and difficulty, to state questions of law arising in such cases, and to require the opinions of the judges of the rest of the court, which shall be given by them in a collective capacity or individually. This method, however, is imperfect, as its adoption is discretionary with the court, and no mode is provided by which the suitor can require a general consultation.

(3). *The Appellate Jurisdiction of the House of Lords.*

An appeal lies from the judgment of either division of the House of Lords, and in this manner a certain amount of uniformity of decision is maintained. This appeal is expensive, and only advisable in important cases. It involves frequently great delay and circuit of procedure. The House of Lords may think it wise to have a re-consideration of the case in Scotland, when it may be remitted to the thirteen judges. This is called a "hearing in presence."

Perhaps the working of the system in this respect will be best shown by the statement of an actual case from the reports. A case was heard before a Lord Ordinary. It was thence appealed to the first division of the Court of Session—it was thence carried to the House of Lords. It was remitted by that body to the thirteen judges to be "heard in presence." The whole record was ordered to be opened, so as to enable parties to amend their pleadings. On the new hearing the thirteen judges delivered their opinions *seriatim*. A doubt then arose whether the former appeal was not destroyed by the opening of the record, and after all this discussion the whole case is treated by the reporter as undisposed of. 1 Macqueen. R. 15, 35.

The House of Lords, besides requiring a "hearing in presence," may order the judges of the court not belonging to the division from which the appeal is taken, to be consulted. They are then called "consulted judges."

It should be remarked that the same process may be resorted to when the cause originated before the Sheriff's court, and came into the Court of Session by appeal. A single illustration will suffice. A cause was heard before the Sheriff substitute. It then came before the Sheriff on appeal. It was then carried to the Court of Session where it was heard by the Ordinary. It was thence appealed to the first division (four judges), who, after a hearing, required an argument before the eight appeal judges, and then required an opinion in writing from the thirteen judges. An appeal was thence taken to the House of Lords. 1 Mac. bet. 121 and 160.

There is undoubtedly one great advantage in this thoroughness of discussion. It is likely to settle principles, though at enormous expense to the suitor. English courts quite frequently avail themselves of Scotch opinions in cases of general law. 1 Macqueen, 160. Suitors are sometimes inflamed with a desire to produce a valid precedent. Thus, in one case, the subject matter of the action was worth £2 per year. There had been four actions in the Court of Session, and an appeal to the House of Lords. On a second appeal to that body, Lord Brougham asked, "What advantage will be gained by succeeding?" It was answered, "The satisfaction of settling the law." 1 Mac. 191.

Appeals to the House of Lords can, in general, only be taken from final judgments, although there may be an appeal from an interlocutory judgment with leave of the judges of the Session, or when there is a difference of opinion among them. 4 Mac. 352.

There has been great difference of opinion as to the propriety of permitting English judges in the "House of Lords" to sit as a court of revision over the decisions of Scotch judges. It is well known that the Scotch system of jurisprudence is radically different from the English, being based on the Roman or civil law, instead of the common law.

Some of the ablest Scottish jurists, however, approve of it as infusing a liberal element into their law. Scotland, they say, is "too

narrow," and the benefits of the wider views taken by English lawyers, owing to their broad field of investigation, are often conspicuous. These remarks have been applied to the judgment of Lord Brougham in the famous Warrender case, of which it has been said, that it verifies the remark of Mr. Hume, that in matters of reasoning the arguments when just can never be too refined. 2 Macqueen, 664. It would seem, however, that it would be wise to have at least one of the ablest of Scotch jurists in the House of Lords, who might be consulted in delicate cases, and who being removed from that country, would be supposed to have left behind him any erroneous prepossessions which might otherwise be thought to have fastened themselves upon him.

II.

Bill Chamber.

The duties of this court are to make orders of arrest, attachment, and of preferential judgments or "diligence," so called, &c., &c. One of the Lords Ordinary attends to this business in term time, while during vacation the six lords who do not sit in the court of justiciary officiate for a fixed number of days in rotation.

III.

The High Court of Justiciary.

This court is composed of the Lord President of the Session, who is then called Lord Justice General, the Lord Justice Clerk and five other judges of the session, specially commissioned by the King. The Lord President is rarely in attendance, so that the inconvenience of having two chief judges on the bench seldom happens. A quorum consists of three judges. It has jurisdiction of all criminal cases, except high treason, which is tried by a special commission of Oyer and Terminer, in the English manner, with a grand jury. Three justiciary judges are in the commission. This court holds sessions in banc and circuits twice a year, at various points in the Kingdom. The English House of Lords has awarded these tribunals very high praise. It has said that trials by jury in Scotland, in criminal cases, have been admirably conducted, and there is no country in the world where criminal law is more admirably administered. *Ritchie v. Ritchie*, 4 Macqueen, 165. The justiciary court

(circuit), also hears appeals in summary cases from the sheriff, &c. There is understood to be no appeal from this court to the House of Lords.

IV.

Court of Exchequer.

This is composed of two of the Lords of Session who are not members of the High Court of Justiciary. They hold office for a year at a time. The jurisdiction of this tribunal has been much reduced in modern times, and chiefly consists of issuing writs of execution (extent), and conducting other judicial matters connected with the revenue.

V.

Court of Teinds, or (Tithes).

This is also composed of members of the Court of Session. Its jurisdiction consists of cases arising under the laws relating to church tithes.

The judges of the courts embraced in this section are appointed by the crown, and are at present men of great learning and skill in their profession. They hold office during good behavior, although they may retire at the end of fifteen years, receiving an annuity equal to three-fourths of the salary. Glassford, 3.

Certain forms are prescribed by law for ascertaining their qualifications to act as judges, for which consult Bell's Scotch Law Dictionary.

In closing this review of the higher Scotch courts, we cannot but be struck with the immense and multifarious business transacted by the judges of the Court of Session. In their proper character as a court they have to do with all the legal matters of the country, whether legal or equitable, maritime or ecclesiastical. The Inner House is in session from November 12th to March 11th, and from May 20th to July 20th. The Ordinaries from November 1st to March 20th, and from May 20th to July 20th. More than half of the entire year is thus occupied. In the vacation they are acting in the High Court of Justiciary or holding its circuits; or in the Bill Chamber, the Court of Exchequer, or the Court of Teinds. How can so much

work be accomplished? . In the year 1839, thirteen judgeships were abolished, saving the government over fifty thousand pounds, and the duties of these officers were imposed on the judges of the Court of Session. As an offset to this increase of duty, their salaries were largely augmented. Scotland teaches us that the true course is to fully occupy the time of the judges, pay them large and honorable salaries, make their tenure permanent, and pay them, if after a lengthened and honorable service they desire to retire, a competent annuity. Call it not a pension, but an honorarium—a tribute from a grateful State for honorable and most valuable service. On such terms, it is the highest honor in the State to fill the post of judge, and the ablest lawyers may faithfully, contentedly and earnestly devote to it the energy of their lives. It only remains to say a single word concerning the inferior courts.

SECTION VI.

Inferior Local Courts.

There is a “merk” court held in the city of Edinburgh to hear small causes (eleven shillings one and a half pence), and also claims for servants’ wages to any amount.

There are also Bailie and Sequestration courts held in that city every Friday.

There is a Dean of Guild court for settling disputes between merchant and merchant, and merchant and mariner.

The details of the organization of these tribunals I have not found time to examine, nor did I deem the examination important.

Recent statutes provide that certain disputes between manufacturers and their workmen shall be settled in a summary manner before inferior magistrates, to which, if the parties do not consent, a compulsory arbitration is required. Forsyth’s Dictionary.

The “burgh” courts, which were formerly of considerable importance, are now insignificant, their jurisdiction mainly consisting in the cognizance of trifling criminal causes.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE W. DWIGHT.

SURROGATE'S OFFICE, COUNTY OF NEW YORK, }
August 28th, 1867. }

To the Hon. GIDEON J. TUCKER, Surrogate :

SIR : Herewith please find a statement of business transacted in this office from January 1st, 1867, to July 30th, 1867, inclusive:

Letters of administration granted,.....	659
Letters of guardianship granted,.....	249
Letters of administration, with will annexed,.....	34
Letters of collection granted,.....	6
Wills admitted,.....	282
Inventories filed,.....	248
Applications made for final accounting of executors, administrators and guardians,.....	335
Applications to compel accounts, inventories, &c.,	134
Accounts finally settled and decrees entered,.....	153
Orders entered on motion,.....	179
Accounts contested,	55
Wills contested (decisions rendered),	40
Wills contested, on appeal,.....	2
Annual accounts of guardians filed and examined,....	45
Fees paid into the county treasury,.....	\$8,960 01

Very respectfully, your obed't servant,

WM. B. AITKEN,

Chief Clerk.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 108.

IN CONVENTION

August 30, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE (NO. 23) ON FUTURE
AMENDMENTS AND REVISIONS OF THE CONSTITU-
TION.

To the Convention :

The standing committee on future amendments and revisions of
the Constitution, respectfully

REPORT

That they have had under consideration the subject referred to
them and have carefully considered the same, and herewith submit
to the Convention an article on the subject so referred.

The first Constitution of this State, adopted in 1777, contained no
provision for its amendment or revision.

The Constitution of 1821 contained a provision for its amendment,
but none for a general revision. The Constitution of 1846, con-
tained a provision for its amendment from time to time, and also for
revision, giving the Legislature power to submit to the people, the
question of holding a Convention for that purpose, at any time and
making it imperative that the question should be so submitted, at
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the expiration of twenty years, and in each twentieth year thereafter.

The question whether a Convention should be held to form a Constitution for this State, was not submitted to the people in 1777. But the committees, freeholders and other electors of the different counties, on the recommendation of the Colonial Congress, elected delegates to a Convention to provide a form of government for the State, which framed and put into operation, the Constitution of 1777, and though not submitted to a formal vote for ratification by the people, it was, by general acquiescence of the authorities and the people themselves, accepted and remained for about forty-four years the Constitution of the State, with but a single amendment, which was made in 1801. In that year the Legislature passed an act providing for holding a Convention exclusively for the purpose of amending the Constitution, respecting the number of Senators, and members of Assembly and for the purpose of considering and determining the true construction of the Constitution as to nominations to office. Those objects were accomplished, and no other successful effort was made to amend the Constitution of 1777, in any respect, until it was supplanted by that of 1821.

In 1820 an act was passed by the two houses of the Legislature, providing for the election of delegates to a convention for the purpose of making such alterations of the Constitution of the State as they might deem proper.

This act encountered the opposition of the Council of Revision (including the Chancellor and the Governor), mainly for the reason that the sense of the people had not first been taken, as to whether such revision or alteration of the Constitution was, in their judgment, necessary or expedient. The act, therefore, failed to become a law.

At the next session of the Legislature in 1821, a law was passed submitting to the people the question whether such a convention should be held. The question having been submitted and decided in favor of the Convention it was held and framed the Constitution of 1821, which was submitted to a vote of the people and ratified by a large majority, at a special election held for the purpose.

Notwithstanding all these formalities, it has been gravely insisted that the Convention of 1821 was an unauthorized and an uncon-

stitutional body, and that the work of its hands derived its authority solely from the subsequent action of the people, in adopting and ratifying its proceedings, and by general acquiescence therein; the right of revolution successfully carried into effect.

It is not the purpose of the committee to enter upon any discussion of such questions in this report, but desire to prevent their recurrence in future. The Constitution of 1821, differing in this respect from that of 1777, as above stated, contained a provision for its amendment, but none for its future revision, and for that reason it has been said that the Convention of 1846 was also unauthorized, and that the result of its labors had no better and no other foundation to rest upon than the right of revolution, and that the Constitution of 1846 became obligatory solely by occasion of the subsequent ratification and adoption thereof, and by the general acquiescence therein by the people of the State.

While such questions are, undoubtedly, more theoretical than practical or useful, your committee are well satisfied that the provisions in the Constitution of 1846, both for amendment and revision, are wise and salutary, and ought to be substantially retained.

In the article herewith submitted by the committee, the provisions of the existing Constitution are substantially preserved. We therein provide for amendments by the concurrent action of two consecutive Legislatures, and a final submission of all proposed amendments to a vote of the people for ratification.

There exists some differences of opinion in the Committee, in relation to that part of the article submitted, providing for future revisions by Conventions; one gentleman is opposed to fixing any specific time when the electors shall be called upon to decide upon the question of holding a Convention; and another is opposed to allowing a Convention to be held, without the affirmative vote of a majority of all the electors who vote for public officers at the general election, when the question of a Convention shall be submitted for decision.

The majority of the committee are, however, clearly of the opinion that it will not be detrimental to the people of the State to agitate the question of remodeling their organic law, at least once in

twenty years, and as much oftener as public sentiment, acting upon and through the Legislature, may call for such agitation; and we have no apprehension that a Convention will, at any time, be called when in reality there is no occasion for holding one; that the intelligent electors of the State will not fail to properly settle that question whenever presented.

As to requiring a majority of all who vote for officers at the general election at which the question of calling a Convention shall be submitted for decision, instead of a majority of those only who may vote on the question itself, it is believed that such a requirement would in many, and might in all cases defeat the calling of a Convention altogether. Many causes might operate to diminish the vote on that question irrespective of the merits of the question or the wishes of the people, and it will be found by reference to similar elections, that a much smaller vote has been cast upon such questions than for candidates for the public offices voted for at the same election. Two recent instances are in point. In 1858 the Legislature provided for taking a vote of the people upon the question of holding a Convention to revise and amend the Constitution. The vote for the Convention was 135,166, and against it 141,526, making a total of 276,692; while at the same election the aggregate vote for Governor was 544,816, nearly twice the number given on the question of Convention. At the election of 1866, by which this Convention was called into being, the whole number of votes for a Convention was 352,854, against it 256,364, total 609,218, while the aggregate vote for Governor at the same election was 719,195, about 110,000 more than the votes given on the question of a Convention. Of those voting on the question of holding a Convention, a majority of 96,490 was given in favor of the proposition. This we regard as a fair and sufficiently full expression of the public sentiment of the people of the State on that question, and we cannot believe that any evil is likely to result from the provision in question, making a majority of those only who vote upon the question sufficient to call a Convention.

All agree that the constitutional provisions on the subject in question should be clear and unambiguous, and for this purpose we have omitted a few surplus words and made such changes as is above indicated in the language of the Constitution of 1846, as to remove all doubt and uncertainty, and provide distinctly that a

majority of all who vote upon the question of Convention or no Convention to revise the Constitution, or to ratify a proposed amendment thereto, shall be sufficient without requiring a majority of all who vote at such election for candidates for office.

Your committee therefore being satisfied with the working of the Constitutions of 1821, 1846, on the subject in question, respectfully recommend the adoption by the Convention of the article herewith submitted its consideration. All which is respectfully submitted.

ALBANY, *August 29, 1867.*

EDWARD A. BROWN, *Chairman.*
HORACE GREELEY,
JOHN GRANT,
W. A. REYNOLDS.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. Any amendment or amendments to this Consti-
2 tution may be proposed in the Senate or Assembly; and if the
3 same shall be agreed to by a majority of the members elected to
4 each of the two houses, such proposed amendment or amend-
5 ments shall be entered on their respective journals, with the
6 yeas and nays taken thereon, and be referred to the Legislature
7 to be chosen at the next general election when Senators shall be
8 chosen, and shall be published for three months next previous to
9 the time of making such choice; and if in the Legislature so next
10 chosen as aforesaid, such proposed amendment or amendments
11 shall be agreed to by a majority of all the members elected to
12 each house, then it shall be the duty of the Legislature to submit
13 such proposed amendment or amendments to the people, in such
14 manner and at such time as the Legislature shall prescribe; and

15 if the people shall approve and ratify such amendment or amend-
16 ments by a majority of the electors voting thereon, such amend-
17 ment or amendments shall become part of the Constitution.

1 **SEC. 2.** At the general election to be held in the year one
2 thousand eight hundred and eighty-six, and in each twentieth
3 year thereafter, and also at such other time as the Legislature
4 may by law prescribe, the question, "shall there be a Convention
5 to revise the Constitution and amend the same?" shall be deci-
6 ded by the electors; and in case a majority of the electors voting
7 on the question at such election, shall decide in favor of a Con-
8 vention, the Legislature, at its next session, shall provide by law
9 for the election of delegates to such Convention.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 109.

IN CONVENTION

September 5, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MR. MURPHY, FROM THE COMMITTEE ON CITIES,
THEIR ORGANIZATION, GOVERNMENT AND POWERS.

The undersigned concurring with a majority of the committee in most of their recommendations, dissents from those which confer upon the Mayors the sole power of appointing all the officers of cities, including the members of Boards of Administration, commonly called commissions, except the comptroller and one or two other officers. Such a power is entirely foreign to the genius of republican institutions, and unknown, in fact, in any department of our government, state or federal. In the city of New York it would constitute a patronage in a single person greater than that of the entire government of most of the states of the Union, and create an autocracy, which if it did not, by reason of the ineligibility of the Mayor to re-election, enable him to secure his place indefinitely, would nevertheless enable him to name his successor and perpetuate his rule, or to place himself in any other position within the power of the electoral body to bestow. In the hands of a bad and ambitious man such a power would be fraught with the greatest danger to the interests of the community. The object which is sought to be obtained by the committee, that of unity and responsibility in the

municipal government, can, in the opinion of the undersigned, be as certainly and much more safely effected by giving to the Mayor a complete supervision of the city offices and a power of removal.

He dissents also from the proposition to have municipal elections in the spring, separately from the general elections; and for the reason not merely of the expense, but because two exciting elections in one year keep the people in constant political agitation, and in the end leave the canvass to those who have the inclination to be in turmoil, or seek to advance themselves to office. All experience has shown that municipal elections held at a different time from the general elections do not command the attention or attendance which they receive when both are held together. The question may be safely left to the Legislature.

Believing, therefore, that the highest considerations of political justice and expediency, as well as the safety of the people of cities demand that their public officers should as far as practicable be held directly answerable to them, and that they should not be called from their avocations more than once a year to attend elections, the undersigned submits the two following sections for the action of Convention :

1 SECTION . There shall be chosen every two years by the
2 electors at large of every city, a Mayor, who shall be the chief
3 executive officer thereof, and whose duty it shall also be to see
4 that the duties of the various city officers are faithfully performed.
5 He shall have power to investigate their acts, to have access to
6 all books and documents in their respective offices, and to exam-
7 ine their subordinates on oath. He shall also have power to
8 suspend or remove such officers from office, whether they be
9 elected or appointed, for violation or neglect of duty, to be spe-
10 cified in the order of suspension or removal; but no such remo-
11 val shall be made without reasonable notice to the party

12 complained of, and an opportunity afforded him to be heard in
13 his defense.

1 SEC. . There shall be chosen every three years by the elec-
2 tors at large of every city, a comptroller, street commissioner and
3 receiver of taxes and assessments, who shall have charge of the
4 departments of finance, streets, and the collection of taxes and
5 assessments respectively. There shall be such other officers in
6 cities as the Legislature shall provide; but for this purpose
7 cities may be classified according to population and different
8 offices provided for the different classes. All officers for whose
9 election or appointment no provision is made in this article,
10 shall be elected by the voters of the city at large or of some
11 division thereof, or appointed by the Mayor, with the consent of
12 the Board of Aldermen, as shall be provided by law. The
13 manner of filling of all vacancies in city offices shall be pre-
14 scribed by law. No city officer shall, during his term of office,
15 hold a seat in the Common Council of the city, or in the Legis-
16 lature of the state, and the acceptance of such a seat shall vacate
17 his office. .

HEN. C. MURPHY.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 110.

IN CONVENTION

September 3, 1867.

LIST OF GENERAL ORDERS AND THEIR CONDITION AT THIS DATE.

1. Report of the committee on the right of suffrage and the qualification to hold office.

Referred to committee on revision, July 31.
(Doc. No. 80.)

2. Report of the committee on the Legislature—its organization, and the number, appointment, election, tenure of office and compensation of its members.

Referred to committee on revision, August 8.
(Doc. No. 79.)

3. Report of the committee on the Governor and Lieutenant-Governor, their election, tenure of office, compensation, powers and duties, except as otherwise referred.

Referred to committee on revision, August 21.
(Doc. No. 93.)

4. Joint report of the committee on currency, banking and insurance, and the committee on corporations, other than banking and insurance.

Referred to committee on revision, August 21.
(Doc. No. 92.)

5. Report of the committee on town and county officers, other than judicial, their election or appointment, tenure of office, compensation, powers and duties.

Referred to committee on revision, August 15.

(Doc. No. 83.)

6. Report of the committee on the finances of the State, the public debt, revenues, expenditures, and taxation, and restrictions on the powers of the Legislature in respect thereto.

Special order for Tuesday, September 3.

7. Report of the committee on canals.

Special order for Tuesday, September 3.

8. Report of the committee on counties, towns and villages, their organization, government and powers.

Referred to committee on revision August 22.

(Doc. No. 96.)

9. Report of the committee on the pardoning power.

Referred to committee on revision, August 27.

(Doc. No. 99.)

10. Report of the committee on the Secretary of State, Comptroller, Treasurer, Attorney-General, and State Engineer and Surveyor, their election or appointment, tenure of office, compensation, powers and duties.

Referred to committee on revision, August 29.

(Doc. No. 104.)

11. Report of the committee on the militia and military officers.

Referred to committee on revision, August 27.

(Doc. No. 100.)

12. Report of the committee on the powers and duties of the Legislature, except as to matters otherwise referred.

In progress.

13. Report of committee on the judiciary.

Referred to committee of the whole, August 30.

14. Report of the committee on charities and charitable institutions.
Referred to the committee of the whole, August 30.
15. Report of the committee on future amendments and revisions
of the Constitution.
Referred to the committee of the whole, August 31.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 111.

IN CONVENTION

August 31, 1867.

COMMUNICATION FROM MR. COOKE.

Mr. Cooke offered the following resolution :

Resolved, That the committee of the whole, having in charge the report of the committee on the judiciary, be instructed to report to the Convention the following article :

ARTICLE

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

1 SECTION 1. The judicial power shall be vested in a Court of
2 Appeals and a Supreme Court, county courts and surrogates'
3 courts in counties, justices' courts in towns, and such other courts
4 of limited jurisdiction in cities as the Legislature may provide.

1 § 2. The Court of Appeals shall consist of nine judges, one
2 of whom shall be designated in a manner to be provided by law,
3 the presiding judge. Five judges, of whom the presiding judge

4 shall always be one, shall constitute a quorum for holding a term.
5 The concurrence of at least four judges shall be necessary to
6 reverse any judgment on appeal. The terms of the Court of
7 Appeals shall be held at the Capitol at such times as the Legis-
8 lature may prescribe. The presiding judge shall designate the
9 judges to hold any term, and shall have power to assemble at
10 any time all the judges for consultation and review of any case
11 or cases pending in the court, and to suspend judgment in any
12 case argued or submitted in said court for the purpose of obtain-
13 ing such consultation and review. The Court of Appeals shall
14 have final appellate jurisdiction in such cases as shall be pro-
15 vided by law.

1 § 3. The Supreme Court shall consist of not less than nine
2 justices, one of whom shall be designated Chief Justice, in such
3 manner as the Legislature may prescribe. General terms of the
4 Supreme Court shall be held by not less than three justices, to
5 be designated by the Chief Justice. The Supreme Court shall
6 have original general jurisdiction and the same appellate juris-
7 diction as has heretofore been vested in the Supreme Court of
8 this State; provided, however, that no appeal shall be entertained
9 by said court in any case originating in a justice's court.

1 § 4. The State shall be divided into a convenient number of
2 circuits, not less than eight nor more than twelve, in each
3 of which there shall be a circuit judge, who shall possess the

4 powers of a justice of the Supreme Court, in the trial of issues
5 of fact and of law, the hearing and decision of motions, and in
6 criminal cases, and at chambers; provided, that no county shall
7 be divided in the formation of circuits. Provision may be made
8 by law for one or more additional circuit judges in the city and
9 county of New York.

1 § 5. There shall be in each county a county judge, who shall
2 hold the county courts therein. The county court shall have
3 final appellate jurisdiction in all cases arising in justices' courts,
4 and original jurisdiction of all actions of libel, slander, assault
5 and battery and malicious prosecution, and such other civil and
6 criminal jurisdiction as the Legislature may prescribe.

1 § 6. There shall be in each county a surrogate's court, of
2 such powers and jurisdiction as have heretofore been vested in
3 such courts.

1 § 7. Justices' courts of inferior jurisdiction, shall be estab-
2 lished by law. Such courts shall have civil jurisdiction in
3 actions for the recovery of money only, or for the recovery of
4 specific personal property when the damages or the value of the
5 property claimed shall not exceed fifty dollars. The justices
6 chosen to hold such courts shall have such criminal jurisdiction
7 as has heretofore been possessed by justices of the peace.

1 § 8. Courts of oyer and terminer shall be held by the circuit
2 judges.

1 § 9. Judges of the Court of Appeals, and justices of the
2 Supreme Court shall be elected by the electors of the State at
3 large, and shall hold their offices for the term of nine years;
4 provided that those elected at the first election under this Con-
5 stitution shall be classified in such manner as the Legislature
6 shall direct, so that one of the judges and one of the justices so
7 elected shall go out of office at the end of one year, another
8 at the end of two years, and so on successively to the ninth
9 year.

1 § 10. Circuit judges shall be appointed by the Governor, by
2 and with the advice and consent of the Court of Appeals, and
3 shall hold their offices during good behavior.

1 § 11. County judges and surrogates shall be elected by
2 counties and shall hold their offices for four years.

1 § 12. Vacancies in any of the elective offices provided for in
2 this article shall be temporarily filled by appointment by the
3 Governor.

1 § 13. The compensation of county judges and surrogates
2 shall be fixed from time to time by the boards of supervisors of
3 their respective counties; that of the other officers named in this
4 article shall be provided by law.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 112.

IN CONVENTION

September 5, 1867.

MAJORITY REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON CITIES, THEIR ORGANIZATION,
GOVERNMENT AND POWERS.

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. The chief executive power in cities shall be
2 vested in a Mayor who shall be elected by the electors of the
3 city and shall hold his office for three years. He shall take
4 care that the laws and city ordinances are faithfully executed.
5 He shall receive, at stated times, for his services a compensation
6 to be established by law, and which shall neither be increased
7 nor diminished during the period for which he shall be elected.
8 He shall not receive, during that period, any other emolument
9 from the city. He shall hold no other office and shall be
10 ineligible for the next three years after the expiration of his
11 term.

1 SEC. 2. Any Mayor may be removed by the Governor, but
2 only after due notice and an opportunity of being heard in defense,
3 and for causes to be assigned in the order of removal. In case
4 the office of any Mayor shall become vacant before the expira-
5 tion of the term for which he was elected, the powers and duties
6 of the office shall devolve upon the presiding officer of the Board
7 of Aldermen, until the vacancy shall be filled.

1 SEC. 3. Except in the cities of New York and Brooklyn, the
2 legislative power shall be vested in a Board of Aldermen; their
3 number, the mode of their election and their term of service
4 shall be prescribed by law. In New York and Brooklyn, the
5 legislative power shall be vested in a Common Council composed
6 of a Board of Aldermen and a Board of Assistant Aldermen.
7 The Board of Aldermen shall consist of twelve members, to be
8 chosen by the electors of the city at large. They shall be
9 classified so that three Aldermen shall go out of office each year,
10 and after the expiration of their several terms under such classifi-
11 cation, the term of office shall be four years. The Board of
12 Assistant Aldermen shall consist of one member from each ward,
13 and shall be elected annually.

1 SEC. 4. The Common Council in New York and Brooklyn,
2 and the Board of Aldermen in other cities, shall possess such
3 powers as may be conferred upon them by the Legislature, but
4 they shall have no executive powers.

1 SEC. 5. Every act, ordinance, resolution or proceeding which
2 shall have passed the two Boards of the Common Council of
3 New York or Brooklyn, or the Board of Aldermen of any other
4 city, shall, before it shall take effect, be presented to the Mayor
5 for his approval; if he approve it, he shall sign it; if not, he
6 shall return it to the board in which it originated, with his
7 objections, within ten days, or at the next stated meeting of
8 such board thereafter. Such board, after the expiration of ten
9 days from the time of such return, may proceed to consider
10 such act, ordinance, resolution or proceeding, and if, upon such
11 reconsideration, two-thirds of all the members elected to each
12 Board of the Common Council of New York or Brooklyn, or to
13 the Board of Aldermen of any other city, shall agree to pass the
14 same—or, if the Mayor shall not return any such act, ordinance,
15 resolution or proceeding, within the time above limited for that
16 purpose, it shall take effect as if he had approved it.

1 SEC. 6. Boards of Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen shall
2 choose their own president and clerk, and such other officers as
3 they may deem necessary.

1 SEC. 7. The Comptroller, or chief financial officer, and the
2 Receiver of taxes and assessments of New York and Brooklyn
3 shall be chosen by the electors of the city. Their respective
4 terms of office shall be three years. They shall appoint all sub-
5 ordinate officers in their respective departments. They may be

6 removed in the same manner as a Mayor may be removed by
7 the Governor. In case either of said offices shall become vacant
8 before the expiration of the term for which the officer was
9 elected, such vacancy shall be filled by the Governor until the
10 next city election, except that when the vacancy shall be created
11 by removal, it shall be filled by the Board of Aldermen.

1 **SEC. 8.** Heads of departments and officers charged with the
2 administration of departments shall be appointed by the Mayor.
3 Subordinate officers of departments shall be appointed by the
4 heads or other officers in charge of such departments. All other
5 executive officers shall be appointed by the Mayor. Any officer
6 appointed by the Mayor may be removed by him at pleasure.
7 All city officers whose offices may hereafter be created by law,
8 shall be chosen by the electors of the city or some district or
9 division thereof, or appointed by the city authorities, as the
10 Legislature may direct.

1 **SEC. 9.** Justices of the peace, police justices, and all other
2 justices of inferior courts not of record, shall be elected by the
3 electors of the city or such district or division thereof as shall
4 be prescribed by law. Their term of office shall be four years.
5 Their number and classification may be regulated by law. In
6 case of a vacancy occurring before the expiration of a full
7 term, such vacancy may be filled by election, but only for the
8 residue of the unexpired term. Any such justice may be

9 removed by such court as may be prescribed by law, but only
10 after due notice and an opportunity of being heard in defense,
11 and for causes to be assigned in the order of removal.

1 SEC. 10. The State, for the purposes of local government,
2 shall be divided into counties, towns, cities and villages, as here-
3 tofore, and no other local divisions or districts shall be made,
4 nor shall any territory be annexed to a city, except for the pur-
5 pose of changing its boundaries. All existing laws inconsistent
6 with the provisions of this section shall become inoperative upon
7 the adoption of this Constitution.

1 SEC. 11. The Legislature, at its first session after the adop-
2 tion of this Constitution, shall pass such laws as may be neces-
3 sary to give effect to the provisions of this article. General laws
4 shall also be passed for the organization and government of
5 cities, and no special act shall be passed, except in cases where,
6 in the judgment of the Legislature, the object of such act can-
7 not be attained under general laws.

1 SEC. 12. The Board of Supervisors of New York is abolished,
2 and the duties of such board shall be performed by the Mayor
3 and Common Council, as the Legislature may direct.

1 SEC. 13. All city elections shall be held on the second Tues-
2 day in April, and the official year shall begin on the first day of
3 May.

1 SEC. 14. The Legislature, at its first session after the adop-
2 tion of this Constitution, shall provide for the appointment of
3 three commissioners, whose duty it shall be to reduce into a
4 systematic code, the laws of this state, relating to the govern-
5 ment of cities, with such alterations and amendments thereto as
6 to them shall seem practicable and expedient. They shall
7 report their proceedings to the Legislature for its action thereon.

1 SEC. 15. Every city shall determine the amount to be raised
2 by tax therein for city purposes, including police and sanitary
3 expenses, but no money shall be so raised for any purpose not
4 previously authorized by law.

1 SEC. 16. Nothing in this article contained shall effect the
2 power of the Legislature in matters of quarantine, or relating to
3 the port of New York, or the interest of the State in the lands
4 under water and within the jurisdiction or boundaries of any
5 city, or to regulate the wharves, piers, or slips in any city.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 113.

IN CONVENTION

September 6, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MESSRS. ROBERTSON AND BURRILL FROM THE
COMMITTEE ON THE LEGISLATURE NOT OTHERWISE REFERRED.

Additional minority report of the Committee on the Powers and Duties of the Legislature, except as to matters otherwise referred.

The undersigned, having been prevented, by the illness and necessary absence of one of their number, from making the minority report, submitted by them to the Convention, as full and complete as it had been their intention and desire to do, beg leave to submit the following or supplemental report on their behalf. Their former report was based upon the financial estimates submitted by the Comptroller of the city of New York to the Common Council of said city, in which were estimated as near as might be the amounts of money necessary to be raised for city and county purposes. In such former report the undersigned showed that the total amount required according to such estimates to be raised by taxation for the support of the city, county, and state governments, for the year 1867, was seventeen millions five hundred and ninety-three thousand nine hundred and forty-one dollars and nineteen cents (\$17,593,941.19), and that of said amount the sum of fourteen millions three hundred and eight thousand two hundred and ninety-six dollars and twenty-

eight cents (\$14,308,296.28) was disbursed by state officials, who were in no way responsible for the expenditure of this vast amount. In such report the undersigned also showed that the amount required to be raised for the same year for city purposes alone, was eleven millions one hundred and five thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight dollars and eighty-six cents (\$11,105,858.86), and that of this amount, the sum of six millions sixteen thousand one hundred and fifty seven dollars and sixty-one cents (\$6,016,157.61) was disbursed by state officials.

It will be thus seen that the amount which the Common Council of the city desired and considered it necessary to raise for city purposes, was the sum of \$11,105,858.86, which was only four thousand and fifty-six dollars and thirty-four cents more than the Comptroller's estimates for the same purpose, as appears from the following statement:

Common Council requested,	\$11,105,858 86
Comptroller's estimate,	11,101,802 52
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	\$4,056 34

This amount of \$11,101,802.52, was composed of the following aggregates, the items of which were given in the former report:

This sum, pages 6 and 7 of former report,	\$6,016,157 61
This sum, page 8 of same,	3,769,664 22
This sum, same page,	623,560 00
This sum, same page,	692,420 69
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	\$11,101,802 52

This, it will be borne in mind, was merely the sum required for city purposes, and did not embrace the amount required to be raised for county purposes, for which the Board of Supervisors provide, and which amount was shown by the former report to have been estimated at \$8,292,138.67, and which, therefore, swelled the amount to be expended to the sum of nineteen millions three hundred and ninety-three thousand nine hundred and forty-one dollars and nineteen cents (\$19,393,941.19), which left, after deducting therefrom the income of the corporation, the sum of \$17,593,941.19 to be raised by taxation, according to the estimate then submitted by the Comptroller, and which did not include several items subsequently

provided for. The ordinance which was passed by the Common Council, and authorized the raising of the amount of \$11,105,858.86 was submitted to the Legislature, and that body added to it the sum of one million four hundred and nine thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-seven cents (\$1,409,381.87), for accounts not included in the estimate of the Comptroller, or the ordinance of the Common Council; and also added the further sum of one hundred and sixty thousand two hundred and two dollars (\$160,202), by increasing the amounts of items which were so included, neither of which addition or increase was asked for or deemed requisite by the local authorities; and the Legislature also diminished the amounts of other items of appropriation deemed necessary by the Common Council, by the sum of five hundred and eighty-one thousand five hundred dollars (\$581,500), so that by the action of the Legislature there was added to the sums required to be raised for city purposes, the sum of nine hundred and eighty-five thousand and eighty-three dollars and eighty-five cents (\$985,083.85); thus making the aggregate amount to be paid by the citizens of the city of New York, for city, county and State taxes for the year 1867, the sum of twenty millions three hundred and seventy-nine thousand twenty-five dollars and four cents, which with the exception of less than three millions is disbursed and expended by State agencies. The following table will show the amounts added by the Legislature as above stated:

Arching the cut in Fourth avenue,	\$100,000 00
Central Park, maintenance, &c., arrearages,	41,095 00
Cleaning streets by Board of Health,	25,000 00
Donations (special),	195,500 00
Expenses of Market Commission, 18th Ward,	8,000 00
Fireworks for public celebrations in 1865-6,	29,000 00
Grading Hamilton square,	30,000 00
Inebriate Asylum,	100,000 00
Judgments,	414,269 87
Legal expenses—T. Stephens and R. L. Darragh,	4,500 00
Monument in Greenwood Cemetery,	30,000 00
Repaving Broadway,	390,817 00
Repairs to street pavements,	10,000 00
Salaries for Bureau of Prevention of Fires,	27,200 00
Total,	\$1,409,881 87

The following items of appropriation allowed by the Common Council, were increased by the Legislature as follows :

Advertising.....	\$20,000 00
Aqueduct repairs and improvements.....	20,000 00
Cleaning streets under contract.....	477 00
Cleaning markets.....	6,500 00
City Dispensaries.....	1,000 00
Contingencies—Comptroller's office.....	5,000 00
Contingencies—Law Department.....	15,000 00
Contingencies—Croton Aqueduct Board.....	6,000 00
Real estate expenses.....	20,000 00
Salaries—Department of Finance.....	28,500 00
Salaries—Croton Aqueduct Department.....	500 00
Salaries—Board of Assessors.....	9,225 00
Streets—repaving and repairs.....	30,000 00
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Total	\$162,202 00

The character of this legislation will be shown by an examination of some of the items thus added by the Legislature, and which it compels the city and county authorities to raise by taxation; and such examination will not only show how unfit and incompetent the Legislature is to determine for the citizens of the city of New York what amount they need for the expenses of their city and county government, but will also show that the exercise of this power, against which we protest, furnishes opportunity for corrupt and dishonest action on thier part.

The first item in the list is \$100,000 for arching the cut in Fourth avenue, through which the Harlem Railroad Company passes. This imposes upon the people of the city, the cost of building a wall from Seventy-ninth to Eighty-ninth streets, and arching from Eighty-ninth to Ninety-second streets, along and over the tracks of the company, which are laid in the center of the said Fourth avenue, at depths varying from twenty to fifty feet below the grade, and which, by the terms of their charter from the city, the company is bound, *at its own expense*, to arch, or fence, or otherwise protect, as they may from time to time be directed by the city authorities. The Legislature has thus relieved the company from one of its just liabilities to the city and the owners of property on the Fourth avenue, between

the points above indicated, and has generously removed the burden from the shoulders of the railroad company to the pockets of our tax payers, on the principle, doubtless, that being the more numerous, it was charitably supposed they were the best able to bear it.

The fourth item added by the Legislature is the sum of \$195,500, donated for charitable purposes, so that the citizens of New York are now compelled to raise by taxation such sums as the Legislature of the State may deem proper to appropriate for charitable objects. They are not willing to confine themselves to the appropriation of the moneys of the State for such purposes, but assume the power of dispensing charity on behalf of the citizens of the city of New York, and of compelling such citizens to pay whatever they may deem proper to bestow.

Were the Legislature thus to interfere with the people of the rural districts and their property, and to compel them to raise money for such charitable objects as the Legislature might deem worthy of relief, there would be a cry of indignation from one end of the State to the other; but so long as the power is exercised only over the citizens of the city of New York, it does not seem to excite any special interest on the part of the people of other portions of the State, and is not deemed sufficiently important to insure that active interference on behalf of the citizens of that city, which the magnitude and the extent of the injuries inflicted so justly demand. How much longer the people of the city of New York will submit quietly and tamely to this unwarranted and outrageous interference with their property and just rights, is a question more easily put than answered. The following list will show what objects of charity were permitted to share in the sum of \$199,500, so extracted from the pockets of the citizens of the city. What were the influences and arguments, which were brought to bear upon the members of the Legislature, to induce this extraordinary action on their part, we leave others more and better acquainted with Legislative manipulation than we profess to be, to inform us.

Donations (Special).

For donations to the following named institutions, to wit: to St. Francis' Hospital, five thousand dollars; to Ladies' Union Aid Society, five thousand dollars; to St. Joseph's Asylum, five thousand dollars; to the House of the Good Shepherd, five thousand dollars;

to the New York Women's Medical College and Hospital for Women and Children, in the city of New York, five thousand dollars; to the Society for the Relief of Destitute Children of Seamen, five thousand dollars; to the Ladies' Union Relief Association for care of Indigent Soldiers and their Families, five thousand dollars; to the House of Mercy, twenty-five thousand dollars, on condition that a like sum shall be raised from private sources; to the Ladies' Home Mission, Five Points, five thousand dollars; to the Five Points House of Industry for the erection of a Workingwomen's Home, twenty-five thousand dollars, on condition that the same amount be raised by private subscription during the year 1867; to the New York Female Assistance Society, fifteen hundred dollars; to the Institution of Mercy, in Houston street, thirty thousand dollars, on condition that the same amount be raised by private subscription during the year 1867; to St. Bridget's School, ten thousand dollars; to St. Stephen's School, Twenty-eighth street, five thousand dollars; to St. Gabriel's School, Thirty-seventh street, five thousand dollars; to the Holy Innocent's School, Thirty-seventh street, near Broadway, five thousand dollars; to the School attached to St. Peter's Church, five thousand dollars; to St. Mary's School of the Seventh and Thirteenth Wards, five thousand dollars; to St. Theresa's School in Rutgers street, near East Broadway, five thousand dollars; to the School attached to the Transfiguration Church, five thousand dollars; to the Young Men's Christian Association of New York, five thousand dollars; to the New York Prison Association, three thousand dollars; to the New York Society for the Relief of the Ruptured and Crippled, twenty-five thousand dollars, upon condition that the same amount be raised from private sources—One hundred and ninety-nine thousand five hundred dollars (\$199,500).

The item of \$8,000, expenses of Market Commission, eighteenth ward, is for salaries of Commissioners, and *counsel fees* of the Market Commission, appointed by chap. 120, Laws 1866. The item of \$4,500 was for the *counsel fees* of T. Stephens and R. L. Darragh, claiming under the act of 1866, chap. 876, for resisting an application for mandamus made by J. J. Bradley, claiming the office of President of the Croton Board, under an appointment of the mayor and aldermen of the city. Sufficient has already been said to show the character of the legislation to which the city of New York is subjected, and for the exercise of which we say there is no right or

authority. Where did the Legislature of this State acquire the right to supervise the proceedings of the city authorities of the city of New York, to provide the ways and means for their city government? By what right does the Legislature compel the city of New York to send her tax levy to the Legislature for approval or amendment? Does the Legislature exercise such power over any other city in the State? Is there any other city than New York which is prohibited from determining for itself what money is required for municipal purposes, and what money shall be raised therefor? Is there any other city in the State from the pockets of whose citizens moneys are extracted by taxation to pay appropriations made by the Legislature for charitable purposes? Where did the Legislature get the power to give away \$199,500 to charitable institutions, and compel the city of New York to raise that money by taxation?

We submit that the Legislature have no such right, power or authority, and that the organic law of the State should so state in such clear and unmistakable language as will prevent this usurpation and tyrannous exercise of such authority. The Legislature have never claimed this authority until within a comparatively short period, and since it has claimed and has exercised this right, the amount which the city of New York has been compelled annually to raise by taxation, has steadily and enormously increased.

The following table exhibits the total amount of money required for the support of the government of that city, as estimated and authorized to be taxed upon our people by the State Legislature, for each year, from 1862 to 1867:

1862,.....	\$6,908,096 36
1863,.....	7,235,001 83
1864,.....	8,770,971 95
1865,.....	10,802,455 87
1866,.....	10,889,901 11
1867,.....	12,090,942 73

Increase.

1863	over	1862,.....	\$327,004 47
1864	"	1863,.....	1,535,970 12
1865	"	1864,.....	2,031,483 92
1866	"	1865,.....	87,445 24
1867	"	1866,.....	2,201,041 62

The following table, prepared at the office of the Comptroller of the city of New York, needs no explanation other than to state that the items for 1867, are estimated amounts which we have shown were fully realized.

STATEMENT showing the amount of Taxes levied for the support of the City and County Government, for the years 1857 to 1867, inclusive, the amount paid for State taxes, and for the Common Schools of the State; also exhibiting the amount received from State Treasurer for the County's proportion of the Free School Fund and Common School Fund, and the amount paid to different Commissions for the same period.

YEAR.	Tax levy	COMMON SCHOOLS FOR STATE.		Amount of State taxes.	AMOUNT PAID TO THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONS.	
		Amount paid to State.	Am't received from State Treasurer for County's proportion of School money		Board of Education.	Police.
1857,	\$8,066,566 52	\$383,805 37	\$152,245 06	\$511,740 50	\$1,100,210 81	\$841,100 00
1858,	8,621,091 31	238,068 90	160,069 75	1,172,644 31	1,226,013 00	908,298 60
1859,	9,860,926 69	398,416 98	153,582 95	929,590 00	1,246,000 00	1,229,865 00
1860,	9,746,559 58	399,677 61	213,866 18	952,581 08	1,278,781 00	1,359,625 00
1861,	11,627,254 23	412,559 00	212,768 99	1,696,076 32	1,300,000 00	1,650,500 00
1862,	9,906,271 10	428,309 10	265,861 20	1,784,621 24	1,358,435 00	1,738,712 00
1863,	12,091,905 14	401,132 71	250,616 99	2,139,424 44	1,450,000 00	1,748,320 00
1864,	13,705,092 86	410,562 02	252,265 54	2,326,518 13	1,787,000 00	2,068,420 67
1865,	18,202,857 56	432,000 12	260,896 82	3,592,000 73	2,298,508 58	2,214,556 56
1866,	16,950,767 88	466,946 28	242,280 04	2,435,903 08	2,454,327 54	2,173,784 70
1867,	21,889,655 98	455,088 27	247,441 58	2,920,149 50	2,939,348 00	2,608,554 99

Statement showing the amount of Taxes — (Continued).

AMOUNT PAID TO THE FOLLOWING COMMISSIONS.							
YEAR.	Public charities and correction.	Commissioners of Record.	Central Park main-tenance and gov-ernment of.	Harlem or Third Avenue bridge.	Metropolitan Fire Department fund.	Market in 18th ward.	Metropolitan Board of Health.
1857,	\$843,800 00	\$350,000 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1858,	705,000 00	50,000 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1859,	780,250 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1860,	746,199 00	. . . . .	\$80,000 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1861,	668,375 00	. . . . .	114,000 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1862,	679,173 00	. . . . .	118,841 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1863,	560,000 00	118,125 22	131,604 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1864,	760,000 00	. . . . .	180,000 00	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .	. . . . .
1865,	988,450 00	. . . . .	188,121 00	\$236,494	\$600,000	\$10,000	. . . . .
1866,	1,067,889 08	100,000 00	264,779 93	186,876	870,000	8,000	\$231,000 00
1867,	1,165,267 51	. . . . .	241,095 00	87,000	780,000	8,000	99,876 47

The undersigned deem it proper to call attention to the following facts, which appear in the last report of the State Comptroller :

1. That the equalized valuation of property in the city of New York is two-fifths of that of the entire state.

2. That of the aggregate of county taxes throughout the State, New York pays two-fifths.

3. That of the school tax, New York pays two-fifths of the amount collected from the entire State.

4. That of the State tax, New York pays two-fifths of the entire amount collected throughout the State.

5. That the aggregate amount raised by taxation throughout the State for 1866, was \$40,568,244.69 ; say in round numbers forty millions and a half, and of this New York city paid \$17,423,156.48 ; say in rural numbers seventeen millions and a half, which is more than two-fifths of the entire amount.

ANTHONY L. ROBERTSON.
JOHN E. BURRILL.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 114.

IN CONVENTION

September 6, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MR. FRANCIS, FROM THE COMMITTEE ON CITIES,
THEIR ORGANIZATION AND POWERS.

MR. PRESIDENT: As one of the committee on cities, I wish to say that I disagree with the report of the majority in this: That it proposes the establishment within the State, under the name of city governments, of local sovereignties, superior to, and above and beyond the control of the State itself—thus practically applying to the State of New York the same obnoxious doctrine which the rebels of the South sought to enforce for their States, with respect to the Union. This whole idea of city independence from the State control is the same in principle as the old Southern idea of State independence of Federal authority. It belongs to the same pestilent family, and carried out in practice, would involve the State in perplexities, dangers, and possible future calamities, even as we have seen its disastrous results worked out in the collision of States with the sovereignty of the Union. For one moment consider the question in its plain simplicity: Whence do cities derive their powers of government? Why, their very organization comes from the State. They obtain their charters from State authority. The theory of our government with reference to them has been in accordance with uniform practice, that they shall be invested with

certain limited powers with a view to local convenience and efficiency in government; and these powers may be enlarged or diminished as the State, in its sovereign capacity, shall deem wise and expedient. Now, it is proposed that the State shall abnegate its powers altogether in the essential matters of city governments, and delegate supreme authority to them over all important interests within their jurisdiction. Thus it is recommended that municipal sovereignties shall be reared within the State sovereignty, invested with extraordinary powers, which the State must not, and cannot, in any way interfere with; whatever the emergency may be, or however much the interests of the commonwealth at large shall be imperilled by city misgovernment. The doctrine is utterly opposed to the principles of our political system; it involves a surrender of State authority and sovereignty over a large proportion of its material interests; it invites antagonisms and dangerous strife; it is the proposed centralization of power, so that, in its working, it might soon be said *that New York city is the State*, the same as it is now remarked of the French capital, that *Paris is France*. A city has no more claim to independent government than the smallest town in the State. The little town of Lake Pleasant, in Hamilton county, has just as much right to come here and demand an independent government, as has the city of New York or Brooklyn. All are on precisely the same footing as respects organic powers which were derived from the State; and why should State authority be yielded in behalf of the one more than the other? Bear in mind this fact: There is to a large extent identity of interests between city and country. Maladministration, inefficiency, and bad government in our great commercial metropolis, seriously affect the interests of the people of the whole State. I cannot better illustrate the intimate relationship subsisting between city and country than to quote these expressive words from a recent speech in this Convention, delivered by the gentleman from Albany (Mr. Parker), in his able discussion of the railroad consolidation question. Said the honorable gentleman: "Now, while we are talking so much about the city of New York, are we to forget the interests of the whole State—the interests of the people? Are we to forget that if you impoverish the country you lessen the resources of the city also? *You cannot sever those interests. If the city of New York is the great heart and center of the commercial body, THESE LIMBS WHICH SPREAD OUT IN EACH DIRECTION, CANNOT BE SEVERED WITHOUT SAPPING*

ITS STRENGTH, AND PERHAPS TAKING LIFE. These streams of commerce that run into this central heart like the veins of the system, we must remember, are counterbalanced by corresponding arterial returns of commerce to the country itself. *You cannot sever a limb at any point without affecting the vitality of the whole system.*" The whole question is here concisely stated. Millions upon millions of our property is held in New York city. Scores of thousands of people from all sections of the State are to-day doing business in New York, either as buyers or sellers, and scores of thousands more visit the city from time to time, and so become temporary residents therein. The produce of the country, of all kinds, is conveyed to the wharves of the city and transferred to its markets. The State at large has as direct an interest in the proper government of New York city, as have the limbs of the body (to use the striking simile of my friend from Albany) in the ebb and flow of the arterial tide from the heart. In other words, the heart must be sound, or the limbs cannot be sustained. These limbs (repeating the quotation) "*cannot be severed without sapping its strength, and perhaps TAKING LIFE.*" Conceding so much to be true, is there safety for the State, safety for the material and personal interests of all its citizens, in establishing, by constitutional law, the principle of almost complete municipal independence, nullifying the State sovereignty which created the city governments, so that they shall henceforth be cut loose from its controlling authority, and be managed by the power of local king caucus?

In this connection, another serious question presses itself upon our attention. We must look it squarely in the face, for it cannot be frowned down nor averted. It is an ever-present and constant danger—a growing and menacing evil in our large cities. We know that the dangerous classes abound in these cities; there they harbor and carry on all their acts of knavery; there they are in full activity, and organized in political association. With caucus machinery perfected to a complete system, and with leaders ambitious for power and intent upon plunder, we know that they constitute an element of fearful evil in the politics of our cities, and especially in the city of New York. Is it wise that the State should give up its power to hold in subjection this vicious element whose supremacy would inaugurate a reign of terror, and whose voting power has already manifested itself in the elevation of corrupt and dangerous men to offices of high trust and responsibility?

The majority of the committee on cities propose to engraft in the Constitution this startling policy: Mayors to be elected for three years, and invested with sole power to appoint all heads of departments, and *remove them at pleasure*, with the exception of the chief financial officer and receiver of taxes and assessments in the cities of New York and Brooklyn. The subordinates of each department to be appointed by the heads thereof. But the latter must be the willing tools of the Mayor, to carry out his will, on penalty of removal at his supreme pleasure. Thus we have the one man power proposed to the extent of despotic authority, and that this Convention shall not only nullify the sovereignty of the State over the cities where strict and rigorous government is absolutely essential to the safety of person and property, but shall authorize the caucus power of party to choose a king to rule over them in a three years' reign. The Mayor, with nearly all the departments in his hands, and wielding the strong arm of the police to enforce his will, would possess despotic powers, and no State or other agency could be interposed to prevent his abuse of authority. It is true the majority of the committee propose that the Governor may remove the Mayor for cause, giving him full opportunity for defense—a privilege that is withheld from the Mayor's own appointees; but then the Governor cannot fill the vacancy; the President of the Board of Aldermen is to succeed him—an official who possibly may be implicated in the very abuses for which the local king is dethroned, thus having the strongest motive to perpetrate his obnoxious reign. I can conceive of nothing more anti-republican than the extraordinary constitutional method here suggested for the government of cities. It would be subversive of State sovereignty, dangerous to true liberty, and an agency of partizanship, proscriptive and tyrannical.

I do not here propose to enter into a discussion of the several commissions authorized by the Legislature from time to time for the management of State and other interests in New York. I may say, however, that the Health commission has given as the record of its efficient work in repelling pestilence, not only from the city, but from the State at large; that the Central Park commission has presented a memorial of its ability and faithfulness in that great breathing-place for the million, which abounds with the beautiful in art and nature; the Fire Department commission has restored order and good government where chaos and rowdyism formerly pre-

vailed; and that, above all, the Metropolitan Police commission has, in these many years of severe trial and popular tumult and danger, afforded protection to life and property beyond any security afforded within the district in the comparatively quiet times before its establishment. The same is true of the workings of the Capital Police organization of this district; and I believe I utter the almost unanimous opinion of the order-loving and law-abiding people—without respect to party—of Troy and the adjacent villages embraced within the district, when I declare, with all the earnestness of sincere conviction, that its continuance is deemed by them vital to their security. It has given us peace and good order, whereas, before the system was put in operation, and under the municipal plan of police, crime was rampant, and criminals were seldom brought to justice.

The district plan of police is one of its chief merits. It is less expensive, for it requires little more than the same machinery necessary for a single place. All officers possess equal power throughout the district; otherwise, and as the majority of the committee on cities propose, officers would be limited to one place, and going beyond that place into another county, delays would be inevitable in pursuing criminals, and justice often baffled. Another great advantage of the district plan, is this: In case of riotous proceedings, all the force of the district may be readily concentrated at a single point. Identity of interests render the district plan desirable. The settlements are almost continuous throughout our Capital Police district, all requiring common protection. Smaller places like Greenbush, West Troy, Green Island, Cohoes and Lansingburgh, could not or would not have police organizations sufficient for protection against raids from larger places, while under the isolated police power they *must* rely upon themselves, and cannot have help from their neighbors; under the district plan, as at present, all the police may be concentrated from all the places of the district to put down criminal demonstrations in any one locality therein. As to the expense of the system, a fact or two may here be mentioned. Under the old municipal organization, which the majority of the committee on cities would revive, as I conceive, in the most obnoxious form, the police expenses of Troy, and upon a specie basis, amounted to about \$50,000 a year; now, with prices enhanced for services of all kinds, some 50 per cent, the cost of the Capital Police to our city is less than \$30,000. Again, under the old police organ-

ization of Troy, West Troy, &c., little protection was afforded; the people got little except partizan machines for their money, and the losses from thefts, burglaries and incendiarisms, amounted to much more than the entire cost of our present police; now, on the other hand, *positive protection* is afforded.

In the consideration of this subject, the fact should be recognized that a different system is now necessary for the government of cities than that which prevailed, and worked, perhaps for most part satisfactory, many years ago. The number of offices has greatly increased, and larger and multitudinous interests have now to be looked after. In our cities there are two large classes composing our voting population, the industrious and the vicious. By reason of great expenses of living, and the sharp competition existing in business, the industrious are steadily occupied in their vocation, and have little time to attend to political movements; while the idle and the vicious devote a large share of their time to politics; they attend primary meetings, manage caucuses, and pack conventions. So they exercise power and organize corruption in our city governments. And thus the vicious element governs and plunders the tax payers.

Deeming the police organizations under the metropolitan district plan vital to the security of the interests of cities and places where it has been established, and is now in successful operation, the undersigned proposes the following section in addition to others that may be adopted by the Convention, to form an article in the Constitution, reserving his opinion upon the other sections referred to, until brought before us for action :

1 § . The present police organizations of the several districts,
 2 cities, and incorporated villages of the State, shall continue to
 3 exist during the will of the Legislature, and subject at all times
 4 to its control by law; and the Governor, by and with the advice
 5 and consent of the Senate, shall appoint a Superintendent of
 6 Police, whose headquarters shall be at the capital, and who shall
 7 exercise such supervision over these and such other police

**8 organizations as may be established by law, as the Legislature
9 shall prescribe. The term of office and compensation of the
10 Superintendent of Police, and the number, grades and pay of
11 his subordinates shall be fixed by law.**

J. M. FRANCIS.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 115.

IN CONVENTION

September 6, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LAND OFFICE IN
RELATION TO UNSOLD LANDS BELONGING TO THE
SCHOOL FUND.

TO THE HON. WILLIAM A. WHEELER, *President of the Constitutional
Convention:*

In accordance with a resolution of the Commissioners of the Land Office, passed September 3, 1867, I hereby transmit to you the annexed report made in obedience to a resolution offered by Hon. Mr. Beals, of Herkimer, and passed by the Convention, August 1, 1867.

Yours very respectfully,

ERASTUS CLARK,

Clerk of the Commissioners of the Land Office.

STATEMENT

**OF THE UNSOLD LANDS BELONGING TO THE SCHOOL
FUND, SPECIFYING THE LOTS, TRACTS, COUNTIES
WHERE SITUATED, AND THE NUMBER OF ACRES.**

SCHOOL FUND LANDS.

NORTH RIVER HEAD TRACT.

<i>Essex County,</i>	742,	Lot No. 79,	.....	160
"	742,	" 80,	.....	159
"	665,	" 102,	.....	160
"	665,	" 60,	160

OLD MILITARY TRACT.

Township 1 and 2, Richards' Survey.

"	733,	Lot No. 87,	412
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OLD MILITARY TRACT.

Township No. 11.

"	622,	Lot No. 117,	200
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OLD MILITARY TRACT.

Township No. 12, Richards' Survey.

"	735,	Lot No. 3,	1440
"	735,	" 4,	835
"	735,	" 11,	.....	1440
"	735,	" 37,	.....	861
"	735,	" 38,	.....	1449
"	735,	" 40,	614
"	735,	" 41,	539
"	735,	" 43,	1278

Township No. 12, Thorn's Survey.

"	622,	Lot No. 57,	160
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PERU BAY TRACT.

"	662,	Lot No. 111,	186
"	662,	" 113,	459

WEST OF ROAD PATENTS.

Gore along Refugee Tract.

<i>Clinton County,</i>	623,	Lot No. 44,	.....	200
"	623,	" 45,	.....	200
"	623,	" 47,	.....	200
"	623,	" 48,	.....	200
"	623,	" 60,	.....	200
"	623,	" 61,	.....	175
"	623,	" 62,	.....	176
"	622,	" 63,	176
"	623,	" 64,	152

OLD MILITARY TRACT.

Township No. 3.

"	734, Ea. 100, a N. W.,	Lot No. 74,	753
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Township No. 6.

"	734,	Lot No. 81,	595
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ARTHURBORO PATENT.

*North Half.**Hamilton County,* 734, Lots No. 45,

" " 52,

" " 53,

" " 60,

" " 61,

" " 99,

" " 100,

" 730 " 101,....(in one bond).... 1365

" 740, Lot No. 1,..... 955

" 740, " " 97 and 60, a of Lot 9,
Ayre's Survey..... 415*Southwest part Ayre's Survey.*

" 740, Rem. r Lot No. 3..... 627

Benson Township.

" 661, Lot No. 169,..... 154

" 661, " 171,..... 160

" 661, " 283,..... 160

" 661, " 284,..... 160

" 661, " 285,..... 160

" 661, " 286,..... 160

GORE BETWEEN TOTTEN & CROSSFIELD'S PURCHASE, MOOSE RIVER AND OX BOW TRACTS.

Lots 1 to 15 inclusive..... 2516

Ox Bow Tract.

Hamilton County, 735, Lot No. 76, 155

BAYARD'S PATENT, OR FREEMASON PATENT, FORFEITED LAND.

Herkimer County, Lot 5, Sub. 7, 2½ a,
" 64, Sub. 10, 10, 12

LEWISTON.

Niagara County, 741, Block ZZ, Lots 370, 375, 376.

ONONDAGA SALT SPRINGS RESERVATION.

Reclaimed Lots.

Onondaga County, 732, Lots No. 9, 11, 12, 13, 43

GEDDES.

" 731, Block 15, Lot No. 11.

CITY OF SYRACUSE.

Small triangle lying North of Church Street and West of Salina Street.
Onondaga County, 753, Block E, Lot 6.

EAST OSWEGO.

Oswego County, 733, Block No. 6.
" 744, " 17.

That part of East Oswego which is the subject of litigation, in regard to the bounds of the Reservation, is not included in this Report.

ST. REGIS RESERVATION.

Indian Meadows along Grass River.

St Lawrence County, 630 and 631, Lots No. 1, 5, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 28, 24, 25, 30, 31, 32, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 45, 46, 47, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 75 a

BRANT LAKE TRACT.

Warren County, 663, Lot No. 27, 160

HAGUE TRACT.

"	664, Lot No. 53,.....	175
"	664, " 54,.....	180

NORTH WEST BAY TRACT.

"	742, Lot No. 40,.....	175
"	665, " 132,.....	94
"	742, " 133,.....	106

PALMER'S PURCHASE IN N. E. CORNER.

State Lot.

"	736, Lot No. 45,.....	80
"	736, " 47,.....	160
"	736, " 73,.....	83
"	748, " 74,.....	160

TONGUE MOUNTAIN TRACT.

"	738, Lot No. 1,.....	136
"	738, " 3,.....	200
"	738, " 6,.....	168
"	738, " 43,.....	212
"	738, " 44,.....	212
"	738, " 48,.....	273
"	738, " 49,.....	270

<i>Seneca County</i>	<i>Township of Ovid</i>	<i>Lot 75, sub. 2,.....</i>	<i>76</i>
"	"	" " " 4,.....	99

WESTFIELD TRACT.

<i>Washington County</i>	<i>750, Lot No. 36,.....</i>	<i>160</i>
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Lands which have become the property of the State by foreclosure of Mortgages.

CITY OF HUDSON.

Formerly Mortgaged by Chas. Jenkins.

<i>Columbia County</i>	<i>591, Lot No. 15, on Diamond Street, 50</i>	<i>by 150 feet,.....</i>
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TOWN OF POUGHKEEPSIE,

Formerly Mortgaged by S. Record.

<i>Dutchess County</i>	<i>596,.....</i>	<i>6 a</i>
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TOWN OF JOHNSTOWN.

Kingsborough Patent, formerly Mortgaged by J. Wiley.

Fulton County, 597,..... 25 a

TOWN OF MINDEN.

Formerly Mortgaged by Peter Brooks.

Montgomery County, 508,..... 16 a

BLENHEIM PATENT.

Formerly Mortgaged by V. Efner.

Schoharie County, 422, Title doubtful,..... 105 a

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RECAPITULATION.

SCHOOL FUND.

Clinton—	3,027 acres.	
Columbia—		
Dutchess—	6	“
Essex—	10,512	“
Fulton—	25	“
Franklin—		
Hamilton—	6,987	“
Herkimer—	12	“
Montgomery—	16	“
Niagara—		
Onondaga—	43	“
Oswego—		
Seneca—	175	“
St. Lawrence—	75	“
Schoharie—	105	“
Washington—	160	“
Warren—	2,844	“
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	23,987	“

Jefferson—Three blocks village of Port Putnam, on the bank of the River St. Lawrence, formerly mortgaged by Nicholas Bleecker, Jr., John Eli, Jr., and Thos. Atwood.

STATEMENT

**OF ALL THE LANDS SOLD BY THE STATE ENGINEER
AND SURVEYOR, FROM THE 1ST OF JANUARY, 1823,
TO THE 1ST OF SEPTEMBER, 1867, BELONGING TO
THE SCHOOL FUND, AND SPECIFYING THE TRACTS,
LOTS, ACRES, CONSIDERATION AND MONEYS PAID
INTO THE TREASURY.**

Fish Creek Reservation. Purchase of 1795.

Lot.	Acres.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	250	312 50	Peter Smith,	Mar. 21, 1835,	312 50	78 50
2,.....	250	250 00	H. A. Foster & C. W. Noyes,	Mar. 21, 1835,	250 00	62 50
3,.....	250	375 00	Peter Smith,	Mar. 21, 1835,	375 00	94 00
4,.....	250	250 00	Foster & Noyes,	Sept. 14, 1832,	251 00	62 50
5,.....	250	437 50	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835,	437 50	109 50
6,.....	250	375 00	Foster & Noyes,	Sept. 14, 1832,	375 00	94 00
7,.....	250	500 00	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835,	500 00	125 00
8,.....	250	437 50	Foster & Noyes,	Sept. 14, 1832,	437 50	109 50
9,.....	127	285 75	do	Sept. 14, 1832,	285 75	71 75
10,.....	165	412 50	do	Sept. 14, 1832,	412 50	103 50
11,.....	133	332 50	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835,	332 50	83 50

Fish Creek Reservation. West Side.

55,.....	72½	.....	George Huntington,	Mar. 16, 1824,	54 38	6 79
56,.....	84¾	.....	do	Mar. 16, 1824,	84 75	10 75
57,.....	88	.....	do	Mar. 16, 1824,	88 00	11 00

Cowassalon Tract.

24,.....	43½	.....	James Carey,	Mar. 16, 1824,	272 00	34 00
25,.....	93½	.....	James and Warren Cowan,	April 2, 1823,	628 42	78 42

Onondaga Purchase of 1817.

9,.....	158 ¹ / ₂	.....	P. Tobey and Thos. Rogers,	Mar.	13, 1823,	1741 00	218 00
16,.....	155	.....	James Green,.....	Mar.	13, 1823,	1085 00	136 00
17,.....	157 ⁷ / ₈	.....	Samuel Wright,.....	Mar.	13, 1823,	1150 00	144 00
18,.....	155 ⁴ / ₈	.....	Edward Vrooman,	Mar.	13, 1823,	1205 00	270 00
19,.....	157 ⁴ / ₈	.....	Hunneiman Blanchard,.....	Mar.	13, 1823,	833 00	105 00

Lands along Niagara River.

13,.....	169	S. B. Piper, for Calvin Hotchkiss, includes these three lots,	Jan.	14, 1843,	9000 00	2250 00
14,.....	162	.....				
15,.....	160	.....				

Oneida Creek Tract.

36,.....	42 ⁷ / ₈	N. Part.	Joseph Frisbie,	Nov.	17, 1839,	223 75	56 00
19,.....	37 ³ / ₈	Asal Randall, Jr., paid in full,	June	8, 1843,	145 93	37 00
				Nov.	3, 1843,	111 43

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Block.	Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2,	Rudolph Bunner,	July 17, 1827,	\$500 00	\$125 00
3, .....	...	John L. Schermerhorn,	July 17, 1827,	150 00	38 00
5, .....	...	Aaron B. Merriam,	June 20, 1848,	335 00	83 75
7,	141	Rudolph Bunner,	July 17, 1827,	288 00	72 00
7,	143	Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827,	300 00	75 00
15,	145	do	July 17, 1827,	500 00	125 00
15,	146	do	July 17, 1827,	335 00	83 75
15,	148	T. S. Morgan & A. Bronson,	July 17, 1827,	335 00	84 00
16,	150	Cornelius P. Wyckoff,	July 17, 1827,	455 00	114 00
21,	152	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	240 00	60 00
21,	154	do	July 17, 1827,	240 00	60 00
21,	156	Frederick C. Mills,	July 17, 1827,	325 00	81 25
31,	122	Elisha Carrington,	July 17, 1827,	225 00	57 00
31,	124	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827,	240 00	60 00
31,	126	John Long,	July 17, 1827,	240 00	60 00
32,	98	Daniel W. Cole,	July 17, 1827,	325 00	81 25
32,	100	Elisha Carrington,	July 17, 1827,	255 00	64 00
32,	102	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827,	400 00	100 00
33,	74	do	July 17, 1827,	400 00	100 00
33,	76	Matthew McNair,	July 17, 1827,	405 00	102 00
38,	78	Henry Seymour,	July 17, 1827,	500 00	125 00
34,	50	Samuel Stocking,	July 17, 1827,	1,000 00	250 00
34,	52	Eli F. Benjamin,	July 17, 1827,	730 00	183 00

34,	.....	Thomas L. Hutton,	.....	July	17, 1827,	700 00	175 00	175 00
42,	.....	Moses P. Hatch,	.....	July	17, 1827,	305 00	77 00	77 00
42,	.....	Mary Miles,	.....	July	17, 1827,	220 00	55 00	55 00
42,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	220 00	55 00	55 00
42,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	225 00	56 00	56 00
42,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	260 00	65 00	65 00
43,	.....	Daniel W. Cole,	.....	July	17, 1827,	525 00	131 25	131 25
43,	.....	Mary Miles,	.....	July	17, 1827,	285 00	72 00	72 00
43,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	280 00	70 00	70 00
43,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	255 00	64 00	64 00
43,	.....	Wm. L. Beebe,	.....	July	17, 1827,	305 00	77 00	77 00
44,	.....	Charles H. Vantyne,	.....	July	17, 1827,	550 00	138 00	138 00
44,	.....	Samuel Stocking,	.....	July	17, 1827,	510 00	128 00	128 00
44,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	550 00	137 00	137 00
53,	.....	F. T. Carrington,	.....	July	17, 1827,	205 00	52 00	52 00
53,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	205 00	52 00	52 00
53,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	220 00	55 00	55 00
54,	.....	Jehiel Clark,	.....	July	17, 1827,	410 00	103 00	103 00
54,	.....	Gerrit Smith,	.....	July	17, 1827,	310 00	77 50	77 50
54,	.....	Daniel Griffen,	.....	July	17, 1827,	305 00	77 00	77 00
55,	.....	David P. Brewster,	.....	July	17, 1827,	510 00	128 00	128 00
55,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	485 00	121 00	121 00
55,	.....	Gideon H. Woodruff,	.....	July	17, 1827,	560 00	140 00	140 00
56 & 57,	.....	John F. Schermerhorn,	.....	July	17, 1827,	175 00	43 00	43 00
58,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	110 00		
59,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	120 00		
60,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1827,	175 00	101 00	101 00
61,	.....	Joel Ferrill,	.....	July	17, 1827,	275 00	69 00	69 00
62,	.....	A. Varick,	.....	July	17, 1827,	300 00	75 00	75 00

Village of West Oswego—(Continued).

Block.	Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
63,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827,	\$175 00	\$44 00
63,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	165 00	42 00
64,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	Wm. Flusquin,	July 17, 1827,	315 00	
64,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	do	July 17, 1827,	205 00	130 00
65,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	David Griffen,	July 17, 1827,	600 00	150 00
65,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	Samuel Stocking,	July 17, 1827,	375 00	94 00
68 & 69, .....	....	D. P. Brewster,	July 17, 1827,	260 00	65 00
70, .....	....	Abram D. Hugenin,	July 17, 1827,	125 00	32 00
71, .....	....	Chauncey B. Aspinwall,	July 17, 1827,	155 00	39 00
72, .....	....	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	170 00	42 00
73,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	Wm. Davis,	July 17, 1827,	140 00	35 00
73,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	Alex T. Raddie,	July 17, 1827,	145 00	37 00
74, .....	....	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	290 00	73 00
75,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	do	July 17, 1827,	170 00	42 00
75,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	T. S. Morgan,	July 17, 1827,	140 00	35 00
76,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827,	250 00	63 00
76,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	210 00	52 00
77,	N. $\frac{1}{2}$	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827,	375 00	93 75
77,	S. $\frac{1}{2}$	C. P. Wyckoff,	July 17, 1827,	405 00	101 25
78, 90, 99, 103, .....	....	J. Turrill & A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	4,060 00	1,015 00
79, 80, 81,	J. Turrill,	July 17, 1827,	260 00	65 00
82,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827,	145 00	36 00
83,	do	July 17, 1827,	140 00	35 00

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84,	N. 1	Thomas F. Rowe,	July	17, 1827,	145 00	37 00		
85,	S. 1	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827,	155 00	39 00		
85,	N. 1	Laura Merrill,	July	17, 1827,	135 00	34 00		
86,	S. 1	William Bristol,	July	17, 1827,	150 00	38 00		
86,	N. 1	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827,	155 00	39 00		
87,	S. 1	J. Turrill,	July	17, 1827,	150 00	38 00		
87,	S. 1	T. S. Morgan,	July	17, 1827,	155 00	39 00		
88, .....	...	do	July	17, 1827,	420 00	105 00		
89, .....	...	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827,	725 00	181 00		
91, 92, .....	...	Benjamin Burt,	July	17, 1827,	100 00	25 00		
93 & 94, .....	...	Orlando Barker,	July	17, 1827,	175 00	44 00		
95, 96, 100, ..	...	Cemetery by act, Chap. 5 of 1827, .....	.....	.....	350 00	88 00		
97, .....	...	Alvin Bronson,	July	17, 1827,	200 00	50 00		
98, .....	...	Charles C. Brodhead,	July	17, 1827,	870 00	218 00		
101, 102, .....	...	Mary Miles,	July	17, 1827,	355 00	89 00		
*NOTE.	...	†Moses P. Hatch (Chap. 76 of 1854),	April	4, 1854,	8,000 00	2,000 00		
12,	2	Frederick Stanley, by act, Chap. 40 of 1830, and } resolution of Land Office, Feb. 26, 1830, .....	.....	.....	1,350 00			
45,	22	Samuel Stocking,	July	17, 1827,	560 00	140 00		
45,	24	David P. Brewster,	July	17, 1827,	725 00	182 00		
1, old fort'on,	1	A. J. Everson & L. E. Hugenin,	Oct.	15, 1835,	3,510 00	875 00		
1, " "	2	do	Oct.	15, 1835,	5,170 00	1,295 00		
1, " "	3	C. B. Aspinwall & H. H. & S. S. Hurlbut,	Oct.	15, 1835,	2,520 00	630 00		
1, " "	4	F. T. Carrington,	Oct.	15, 1835,	4,110 00	1,027 00		

*NOTE.—Strip at the water's edge, between west side of Second street and east line of Van Buren tract, and north side of Lake street.

†Sale of above canceled per Chap. 223 of 1861, and a part ceded to the United States, and remainder sold for cash to Oswego & Syracuse R. R. Co. for \$2,000, under Chap. 140 of 1850, and L. O. minutes, Sept. 3, 1863.

Village of West Oswego—(Continued).

Block.	Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1, old fort'on,	5	Joel Stafford & C. Griswold,	Oct. 15, 1835,	\$2,220 00	\$555 00
1, "	6	do	Oct. 15, 1835,	4,240 00	1,060 00
1, "	7	A. P. Grant,	Oct. 15, 1835,	2,270 00	567 00
1, "	8	John Cooley & T. H. Bond,	Oct. 15, 1835,	4,430 00	1,107 00
1, "	9	F. T. Carrington,	Oct. 15, 1835,	2,550 00	637 00
1, "	10	C. J. Burckle,	Oct. 15, 1835,	4,800 00	1,200 00
1, "	11	Henry Hersey,	Oct. 15, 1835,	4,010 00	1,027 00
1, "	12	E. Knower & Philo Stevens,	Oct. 15, 1835,	6,530 00	1,632 00
2, "	31 ¹ / ₈ ac's	Edmund Knower,	Oct. 15, 1835,	108,175 00	27,045 00

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Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	\$690	\$173 00
4,	L. B. Crocker,	July 17, 1827	710	178 00
8,	Oswego Canal Company, by resolution of Commissioners of Land Office, Feb. 5, 1824, and Chap. 241 of 1823, . . . . .	. . . . .	70	8 75
10,	Same as above,	Feb. 5, 1824	70	8 75
12,	A Bronson,	July 17, 1827	1,350	338 00
14,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	1,010	252 50
16,	do	July 17, 1827	1,610	402 50
18,	Oswego Canal Company (same as lot No. 8),	Feb. 5, 1824	140	17 50
20,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	810	202 50
22,	do	July 17, 1827	540	135 00
23,	Samuel Stocking,	July 17, 1827	560	140 00

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Lot.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24, . . .	\$300	Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827	\$850	\$213 00
25, . . .	200	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	760	190 00
26, . . .	200	Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827	440	110 00
28, . . .	150	Frederick C. Mills,	July 17, 1827	580	145 00
29, . . .	150	John Hogan and P. S. Slocum,	July 17, 1827	440	110 00
30, . . .	160	Charles Carter,	July 17, 1827	440	110 00
31, . . .	120	James R. Lawrence and James Battelle,	July 17, 1827	410	103 00
32, . . .	100	do do do	July 17, 1827	380	95 00
33, . . .	100	do do do	July 17, 1827	340	85 00
34, . . .	100	do do do	July 17, 1827	280	70 00
35, . . .	50	Samuel Stocking,	July 17, 1827	310	79 00
36, . . .	110	do	July 17, 1827	380	95 00
38, . . .	300	Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827	610	153 00
40, . . .	350	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	620	155 00
44, . . .	350	do	July 17, 1827	820	205 00
46, . . .	350	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827	790	198 00
48, . . .	400	Henry Dewey and Jonathan Case,	July 17, 1827	1,310	328 00
50, . . .	400	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	1,010	252 50
52, . . .	375	T. S. Morgan and A. Bronson,	July 17, 1827	1,400	350 00
54, . . .	650	L. Hitchcock,	July 17, 1827	3,000	750 00
56, . . .	275	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	1,000	250 00
58, . . .	250	L. Tucker and A. H. Howland,	July 17, 1827	790	198 00
60, . . .	....	J. D. Stuart,	July 17, 1827	820	205 00

61,	Abram Varick,	July	17, 1827	690	173 00
62,	do	July	17, 1827	490	123 00
63,	do	July	17, 1827	460	115 00
64,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	320	80 00
65,	J. Hogan and P. S. Slocum,	July	17, 1827	320	80 00
66,	Charles Carter,	July	17, 1827	400	100 00
67,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	380	95 00
68,	A. Bronson,	July	17, 1827	190	48 00
69,	T. S. Morgan and A. Bronson,	July	17, 1827	180	45 00
70,	S. W. Baldwin,	July	17, 1827	200	50 00
71,	Samuel Stocking,	July	17, 1827	200	50 00
72,	do	July	17, 1827	220	55 00
97,	James Cochran,	July	17, 1827	500	125 00
98,	do	July	17, 1827	360	90 00
99,	Wm. McCarty,	July	17, 1827	260	65 00
100,	Morgan & Bronson,	July	17, 1827	205	52 00
101,	do do	July	17, 1827	175	44 00
102,	do do	July	17, 1827	200	50 00
103,	F. C. Mills,	July	17, 1827	245	61 25
104,	Daniel Griffin,	July	17, 1827	145	37 00
105,	F. T. Carrington,	July	17, 1827	105	27 00
106,	Abram Varick,	July	17, 1827	150	38 00
107,	Samuel Stocking,	July	17, 1827	140	35 00
108,	G. H. Woodruff,	July	17, 1827	175	44 00
109,	Abram Varick,	July	17, 1827	275	69 00
110,	L. Beebe,	July	17, 1827	215	54 00
111,	Jonathan Case,	July	17, 1827	205	52 00
112,	Wm. S. Maynard,	July	17, 1827	200	50 00
113,	W. S. Steele,	July	17, 1827	220	55 00

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Lot.	Valuation.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
114,	Jonathan Case,	July 17, 1827	\$325	\$82 00
115, . . . .	. . . .	D. W. Cole,	July 17, 1827	355	88 75
116, . . . .	. . . .	do	July 17, 1827	220	55 00
117, . . . .	. . . .	Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827	190	48 00
118, . . . .	. . . .	D. W. Cole,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
119, . . . .	. . . .	L. B. Crocker,	July 17, 1827	285	72 00
120, . . . .	. . . .	do	July 17, 1827	505	127 00
127,	\$150	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	395	99 00
128,	110	do	July 17, 1827	265	67 00
129,	100	J. W. May,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
131,	100	D. W. Cole,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
132,	120	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	215	54 00
133,	100	do	July 17, 1827	205	52 00
134,	80	do	July 17, 1827	155	39 00
135,	80	do	July 17, 1827	120	30 00
136,	80	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	115	29 00
137,	80	do	July 17, 1827	120	30 00
138,	90	do	July 17, 1827	160	40 00
139,	100	J. Elmendorf,	July 17, 1827	175	44 00
140,	80	A. B. Shapley,	July 17, 1827	110	28 00
141,	70	D. Metcalf,	July 17, 1827	105	27 00
143,	80	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	105	26 00
144,	100	do	July 17, 1827	140	35 00

145,	P. D. Ungenia,	July	17, 1827	205	52 00
146,	E. Carrington,	July	17, 1827	175	44 00
147,	Morgan & Bronson,	July	17, 1827	160	40 00
148,	E. Carrington,	July	17, 1827	170	43 00
149,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	230	57 50
150,	George Fisher,	July	17, 1827	310	78 00
151,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	375	98 75
151,	do	July	17, 1827	195	48 75
153,	Morgan & Bronson,	July	17, 1827	135	34 00
154,	Daniel Card,	July	17, 1827	125	32 00
155,	Henry Seymour,	July	17, 1827	185	47 00
156,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	300	75 00
157,	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827	305	77 00
158,	do	July	17, 1827	190	48 00
159,	Morgan & Bronson,	July	17, 1827	110	28 00
160,	John Howe,	July	17, 1827	110	28 00
161,	Morgan & Bronson,	July	17, 1827	155	39 00
162,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	200	50 00
163,	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827	150	38 00
164,	do	July	17, 1827	100	25 00
165,	Abm. Baker,	July	17, 1827	95	24 00
167,	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	100	25 00
168,	do	July	17, 1827	110	27 50
169,	M. McNair,	July	17, 1827	95	24 00
170,	do	July	17, 1827	85	22 00
171,	do	July	17, 1827	105	27 00
172,	James Sloan,	May	6, 1828	100	25 00
173,	do	May	6, 1828	70	18 00
174,	Ephraim Reed,	July	17, 1827	100	25 00

Village of East Oswego—(Continued).

Lot.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
175,	\$40	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	\$125 00	\$31 25
176,	30	do	July	17, 1827	85 00	21 00
177,	30	do	July	17, 1827	100 00	25 00
178,	30	do	July	17, 1827	100 00	25 00
179,	30	do	July	17, 1827	105 00	26 00
180,	40	do	July	17, 1827	135 00	33 75
181,	35	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827	130 00	33 00
182,	30	do	July	17, 1827	105 00	27 00
183,	30	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	105 00	26 00
184,	30	A. Varick,	July	17, 1827	110 00	28 00
185,	30	do	July	17, 1827	115 00	29 00
186,	40	do	July	17, 1827	180 00	45 00
187,	40	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	205 00	51 25
188,	25	do	July	17, 1827	105 00	26 00
189, 190, .	50	Samuel Stocking,	July	17, 1827	200 00	50 00
191,	25	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	100 00	25 00
192,	40	do	July	17, 1827	190 00	47 50
193,	50	T. S. Morgan & A. Bronson,	July	17, 1827	200 00	50 00
194,	30	do	July	17, 1827	120 00	30 00
195,	30	do	July	17, 1827	105 00	27 00
196,	30	do	July	17, 1827	95 00	24 00
197,	30	Gerrit Smith,	July	17, 1827	100 00	25 00
198,	40	do	July	17, 1827	110 00	27 50

199,	...	Alex. T. Raddie,	...	July	17, 1827	105	27 00
200,	...	Gerrit Smith,	...	July	17, 1827	65	16 25
201,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	65	16 25
202,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	65	16 25
203,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	50	12 50
204,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	70	17 50
205,	...	John Fort,	...	July	17, 1827	50	13 00
206,	...	Wm. J. Kniffen,	...	July	17, 1827	40	10 00
207,	...	Wm. S. Maynard,	...	July	17, 1827	40	10 00
208,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	30	8 00
209,	...	Henry Fitzpatrick,	...	July	17, 1827	40	10 00
210,	...	Joshua H. Rice,	...	July	17, 1827	55	13 75
211,	...	Gerrit Smith,	...	July	17, 1827	55	13 75
212,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	50	12 50
213,	...	Jonathan Whaley,	...	July	17, 1827	40	10 00
214,	...	John F. Schermerhorn,	...	July	17, 1827	40	10 00
215,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	30	8 00
216,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	65	17 00
217,	...	T. S. Morgan & A. Bronson,	...	July	17, 1827	85	22 00
218,	...	Gerrit Smith,	...	July	17, 1827	45	11 25
219,	...	Morgan & Bronson,	...	July	17, 1827	50	13 00
220,	...	Gerrit Smith,	...	July	17, 1827	50	12 50
221,	...	Daniel W. Cole,	...	July	17, 1827	90	22 50
222,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	175	43 75
223,	...	Gerrit Smith,	...	July	17, 1827	150	37 50
224,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	75	18 75
225,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	80	20 00
226,	...	Morgan & Bronson,	...	July	17, 1827	85	22 00
227,	...	do	...	July	17, 1827	105	27 00

Village of East Onwego—(Continued).

Lot.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
228,	\$40	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	\$155	\$38 75
229,	35	do	July 17, 1827	120	30 00
230,	25	do	July 17, 1827	90	22 50
231,	25	do	July 17, 1827	65	16 25
232,	25	do	July 17, 1827	50	12 50
233,	25	do	July 17, 1827	45	11 25
234,	30	do	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
235,	30	Edwin W. Clarke,	July 17, 1827	75	19 00
236,	25	do	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
237,	25	George Fisher,	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
238,	20	do	July 17, 1827	50	13 00
239,	20	do	July 17, 1827	55	14 00
240,	25	do	July 17, 1827	70	19 00
241,	25	Joseph Sandford,	July 17, 1827	25	7 00
242,	20	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	35	9 00
243,	25	Joseph Sandford,	July 17, 1827	25	7 00
244,	20	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	40	10 00
245,	20	W. S. Maynard,	July 17, 1827	40	10 00
246,	25	Robert Cooley,	July 17, 1827	50	13 00
247,	30	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	55	14 00
248,	20	David Bailey,	July 17, 1827	25	7 00
249,	20	John Howe,	July 17, 1827	20	5 00
250, : . . .	20	Thomas Willett,	July 17, 1827	30	8 00

251,	...	20	A. Varick,.....	17, 1827	50	18 00
252,	...	30	do	17, 1827	60	15 00
253,	...	30	do	17, 1827	80	20 00
254,	...	20	do	17, 1827	25	6 00
255,	...	20	A. C. Dickinson,	17, 1827	40	10 00
256,	...	20	Morgan & Bronson,	17, 1827	50	13 00
257,	...	20	A. Varick,.....	17, 1827	75	19 00
258,	...	40	do	17, 1827	80	20 00
259,	...	40	do	17, 1827	85	21 00
260,	...	25	do	17, 1827	45	11 00
261,	...	20	David Bailey,.....	17, 1827	30	8 00
262,	...	20	Samuel Stocking,.....	17, 1827	35	9 00
263,	...	20	Gerrit Smith,	17, 1827	40	10 00
264,	...	30	do	17, 1827	60	15 00
265,	...	25	do	17, 1827	70	17 50
266,	...	20	do	17, 1827	50	12 50
267,	...	20	do	17, 1827	35	8 75
268,	...	20	Morgan & Bronson,	17, 1827	35	9 00
269,	...	20	Gerrit Smith,.....	17, 1827	40	10 00
270,	...	25	do	17, 1827	45	11 25
271,	...	25	David Bailey,.....	17, 1827	40	10 00
272,	...	20	John Wilson,	17, 1827	30	7 50
273,	...	20	do	17, 1827	30	7 50
274,	...	20	Edwin W. Clark,	17, 1827	25	7 00
275,	...	20	A. Varick,.....	17, 1827	25	6 00
276,	...	25	do	17, 1827	35	9 00
277,	...	25	Joseph Sandford,	17, 1827	25	7 00
278,	...	20	A. J. Snell,.....	17, 1827	25	7 00
279,	...	20	H. Fitzpatrick,	17, 1827	25	7 00

Village of East Orange—(Continued).

Lot.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
280,	\$20	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	\$20	\$5 00
281,	20	do	July 17, 1827	30	7 00
282,	25	do	July 17, 1827	35	9 00
283,	25	Thomas Willett,	July 17, 1827	35	9 00
284,	20	do	July 17, 1827	20	5 00
285,	20	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	20	25 00
286,	20	do	July 17, 1827	20	
287,	20	do	July 17, 1827	20	
288,	30	do	July 17, 1827	30	12 00
289,	30	Thomas Willett,	July 17, 1827	45	
290,	20	Harvey Baldwin,	July 17, 1827	35	
291,	20	do	July 17, 1827	25	7 00
292,	20	do	July 17, 1827	20	5 00
293,	20	Chauncey G. Rent,	July 17, 1827	25	9 00
294,	30	do	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
295,	40	Thomas Willett,	July 17, 1827	65	17 00
296,	25	do	July 17, 1827	25	7 00
297,	25	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	30	8 00
298,	20	do	July 17, 1827	30	8 00
299,	20	T. S. Morgan,	July 17, 1827	40	10 00
300,	30	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
301,	25	do	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
302,	20	do	July 17, 1827	50	15 00

303,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	30	8 00
304,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	30	8 00
305,	.....	Gerrit Smith,	.....	July	17, 1897	35	8 75
306,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	40	10 00
307,	.....	David Bailey,	.....	July	17, 1897	35	9 00
308,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	20	5 00
309,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	20	5 00
310,	.....	Gerrit Smith,	.....	July	17, 1897	20	5 00
311,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	20	5 00
312,	.....	do	.....	July	17, 1897	25	8 25

Village of East Onwego—(Continued).

Block.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	\$50	James Platt,	June 20, 1848	\$51	\$12 75
2,	40	do	June 20, 1848	90	22 50
3,	35	Hunter Crane,	June 20, 1848	86	21 50
4,	30	F. T. Carrington and M. Pardee,	June 20, 1848	95	23 75
5,	20	do	June 20, 1848	100	25 00
6,	20	Ziba D. Baker,	June 20, 1848	65	16 25
7,	20	S. Bentley,	June 20, 1848	100	25 00
8,	20	do	June 20, 1848	245	61 25
9,	180	James Platt,	June 20, 1848	196	49 00
10,	160	do	June 20, 1848	165	41 25
11,	150	Carrington & Pardee,	June 20, 1848	500	125 00
12,	140	Luther Wright,	June 20, 1848	401	100 25
13,	140	A. P. Grant & W. F. Allen,	June 20, 1848	520	130 00
14,	130	do	June 20, 1848	510	127 50
15,	130	do	June 20, 1848	505	126 25
16,	120	S. Bentley,	June 20, 1848	555	138 75
17,	20	D. C. Abbey,	June 20, 1848	85	21 25
18, 19, . .	160	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	160	40 00
22, . . . . .	.....	Wm. S. Maynard,	May 6, 1828	95	24 00
23, . . . . .	.....	H. Fitzpatrick,	May 6, 1828	85	22 00
24,	60	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
27,	80	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	85	22 00
31, 32, . .	155	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	165	41 00

36,	do	17, 1827	80	28 50
40,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	160	40 00
41,	do	July 17, 1827	80	20 00
42,	D. Hugenin, Jr.,	July 17, 1827	160	40 00
54, 55,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	170	42 00
56, 57,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00
58, 59,	P. D. Hugenin,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
60, 61,	D. Hugenin, Jr.,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00
72, 73,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00
74, 75,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
76, 77,	D. Montgomery,	July 17, 1827	170	42 50
78, 79,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	70	18 00
80,	do	Oct. 17, 1827	235	59 00
90, 91,	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	225	56 00
94, 95,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	165	41 00
96, 97,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	60	15 00
98,	do	Oct. 17, 1827	275	69 00
108, 109,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
110, 111,	C. C. Brodhead,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
112, 113,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	185	46 25
114, 115,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	190	30 00
116,	J. W. May,	Oct. 27, 1827	265	67 00
127, 128,	T. S. Morgan,	July 17, 1827	235	57 00
129, 130,	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
131, 132,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	190	48 00
133, 134,	T. S. Morgan,	July 17, 1827	210	52 00
146, 147,	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00
148, 149,	James Cochran,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00
150, 151,	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	180	45 00

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Block.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
152, 153,	\$170	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	\$190	\$47 50
156,	400	do	July 17, 1827	680	165 00
157,	250	do	July 17, 1827	345	86 00
158,	200	do	July 17, 1827	300	75 00
159,	150	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	270	68 00
160,	120	Gerrit Smith,	July 17, 1827	200	50 00
161,	100	L. Tucker & A. H. Howland,	July 17, 1827	175	44 00
162,	90	Morgan & Bronson,	July 17, 1827	115	29 00
163,	85	A. Varick,	July 17, 1827	100	25 00
164,	80	do	July 17, 1827	85	21 00
165, 166,	180	do	July 17, 1827	190	47 00

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Block.	Lot.	Valuation.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
167,	S. $\frac{1}{4}$	April 20, 1850	\$98 62	\$98 62
167,	N. $\frac{1}{4}$ of S. $\frac{1}{4}$	. . . . .	April 20, 1850	98 62	25 62
168,	N. $\frac{1}{4}$	. . . . .	April 20, 1850	126 82	31 82
168,	S. $\frac{1}{4}$	. . . . .	April 20, 1850	253 23	253 23
169, . . . .	. . . .	\$225 00	April 20, 1850	225 43	56 43
170, . . . .	. . . .	200 00	April 20, 1850	197 24	49 24
171,	200 00	April 30, 1850	169 87	42 87
172,	175 00	April 30, 1850		
173,	150 00	April 30, 1850		

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Village of Lewiston.

Block.	Lot.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
A, . . .	. . .	. . .	T. S. Morgan, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	\$100 00	\$25 00
B, . . .	. . .	. . .	do . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	100 00	25 00
C, . . .	. . .	. . .	John Carter, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	100 00	25 00
D, . . .	. . .	. . .	Leonard Shepard, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	90 00	22 50
E, . . .	. . .	. . .	Lathrop Cook, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	285 00	71 25
F, . . .	. . .	. . .	do . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	105 00	26 25
G, . . .	. . .	. . .	Benjamin Barton, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	150 00	37 75
H, . . .	. . .	. . .	T. S. Morgan, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	145 00	
I, . . .	. . .	. . .	John E. Lasher, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	120 00	
J, . . .	. . .	. . .	T. S. Morgan, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	210 00	
K, . . .	. . .	. . .	Calvin Hotchkiss, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	145 00	
L, . . .	. . .	. . .	do . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	90 00	
M, . . .	. . .	. . .	T. S. Morgan, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	130 00	
N, . . .	. . .	. . .	Alexander Irwin, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	205 00	
O, . . .	. . .	. . .	Calvin Hotchkiss, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	50 00	
P, . . .	. . .	. . .	do . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	85 00	
R, . . .	. . .	. . .	Robert Fleming, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	90 00	
S, . . .	. . .	. . .	T. S. Morgan, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	130 00	
. . .	196	. . .	Calvin Hotchkiss, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	130 00	
. . .	197	. . .	Leonard Shepard, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	150 00	
. . .	198	. . .	Lathrop Cook, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	100 00	
. . .	267, 268, 269, 270	. . .	do . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	85 00	
. . .	271, 272, 273	. . .	Bates Cook, . . .	Feb. 13, 1834	70 00	
. . .	293, 294	. . .				

.....	295, 296	\$40 00	Moses P. Hatch,	Feb.	18, 1834	100 00		
.....	320	40 00	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Sept.	16, 1844	66 00		
.....	323, 324	40 00	Robert Fleming,	Feb.	13, 1834	40 00		
.....	325, 326, 327	.....	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Feb.	13, 1834	71 00		
.....	328, 329	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	75 00		
V, .....	.....	.....	T. S. Morgan,	Feb.	13, 1834	195 00		
W, .....	.....	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	135 00		
.....	340, 341, 342, 343	.....	Leonard Shepard,	Feb.	13, 1834	115 00		
.....	344, 345, 346, 347	.....	Moses P. Hatch,	Feb.	13, 1834	126 00	31 50	
Y, .....	.....	.....	T. S. Morgan,	Feb.	13, 1834	200 00	50 00	
Z, .....	.....	.....	Benjamin Barton,	Feb.	13, 1834	190 00	47 50	
.....	.....	.....	One acre of land directed to be grant- ed to Smith & Harrison, by act, Chap. 147, Laws of 1829, located in N. W. corner of outlot No. 42, .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Outlot	1, $4\frac{2}{3}$ acres	.....	T. S. Morgan,	Feb.	13, 1834	50 00	12 50	25
"	2, $4\frac{2}{3}$	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	110 00	27 50	
"	3, $5\frac{2}{3}$	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	105 00	26 25	
"	4, $3\frac{2}{3}$	.....	Isaac Cott, Jr.,	Feb.	13, 1834	145 00	36 25	
"	5, $4\frac{2}{3}$	.....	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Feb.	13, 1834	110 00	27 50	
"	24, $4\frac{2}{3}$	.....	T. S. Morgan,	Feb.	13, 1834	113 00	32 50	
"	25, $5\frac{2}{3}$	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	120 00	30 00	
"	26, 4	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	100 00	25 00	
"	27, $3\frac{2}{3}$	.....	do	Feb.	13, 1834	145 00	36 25	
"	.....	.....	.....	Feb.	13, 1834	145 00	36 25	

Village of Black Rock — (Continued).

Block.	Acres.	Valuation.		Date of sale.	Consolidation.	Amount paid.
84,	6 1/2	\$80	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	\$80	\$20 00
89, .....	.....	100	Zebulon Ketchum,	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
90, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
91, .....	.....	120	Jabez Goodell,	Jan'y 10, 1828	120	30 00
92, .....	.....	120	Daniel Bristol,	Jan'y 10, 1828	121	30 25
102, .....	.....	20	Zebulon Ketchum,	Jan'y 10, 1828	20	5 00
103, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
104, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
105, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
106, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
107, .....	.....	100	E. F. Gilbert,	Jan'y 10, 1828	102	25 50
108, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	104	26 00
152, 153,	5 1/2	.....	Mort'r F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	805	205 00
154,	4.95	.....	William Baker,	June 22, 1835	750	190 00
155,	4.95	.....	Richard L. Allen,	June 22, 1835	750	190 00
156,	4.95	.....	do	June 22, 1835	780	195 00
157,	4.95	.....	Benj. Hodge, Jr., & Wm. Hodge, Jr.,	June 23, 1835	805	205 00
158,	4.95	.....	Nelson Randall,	June 22, 1835	1,000	250 00
159,	4.95	.....	Hiram Pratt,	June 22, 1835	1,150	290 00
160,	3.60	.....	Rowland Cromelien,	June 22, 1835	1,350	340 00
161,	3.60	.....	Wm. B. Bolles,	June 22, 1835	1,450	360 00
162,	3.60	.....	John Culbert,	June 22, 1835	1,860	460 00
170,	2.40	.....	S. J. Searles and A. Goodrich,	June 22, 1835	400	100 00

40,	.....	9 ^{ft}	165	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	165	41 25
43,	.....	.....	80	J. Clary and L. F. Allen,	Jan'y 10, 1828	81	29 25
44,	.....	.....	125	do do	Jan'y 10, 1828	150	37 50
45,	.....	.....	125	do do	Jan'y 10, 1828	136	31 50
46,	.....	.....	125	A. H. Tracy and T. O. Love,	Jan'y 10, 1828	125	31 25
50,	.....	.....	100	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	135	34 75
51,	.....	.....	80	Zabulon Ketchum,	Jan'y 10, 1828	110	27 50
52,	.....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	97	24 25
53,	.....	8 ^{ft}	142	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	142	35 50
54,	.....	8 ^{ft}	137	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	137	24 25
57,	.....	.....	40	Thomas Day,	Jan'y 10, 1828	65	65 00
58,	.....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	105	105 00
59,	.....	.....	125	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	130	130 00
60,	.....	.....	125	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	126	126 00
61,	.....	.....	125	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	125	125 00
65,	.....	.....	100	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	105	26 25
66,	.....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	85	21 25
67,	.....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	85	21 25
68,	.....	8 ^{ft}	119	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	119	29 75
69,	.....	8 ^{ft}	116	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	116	29 00
72,	.....	.....	60	Ebenezer Walden,	Jan'y 10, 1828	61	15 25
73,	.....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	105	26 25
74,	.....	.....	125	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	135	33 75
75 & 76, N. part,	.....	.....	.....	William Kine,	Jan'y 10, 1828	125	31 25
75 & 76, S. part,	.....	.....	.....	Benjamin Rathbun,	Jan'y 10, 1828	125	31 25
80,	.....	.....	100	George Weed,	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
81,	.....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
82,	.....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
83,	.....	8 ^{ft}	98	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	98	24 50

Village of Black Rock—(Continued).

Block.	Acres.	Valuation.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
84,	6.77	\$80	Samuel Wilkison,	Jan'y 10, 1828	\$80	\$20 00
89, .....	.....	100	Zebulon Ketchum,	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
90, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
91, .....	.....	120	Jabez Goodell,	Jan'y 10, 1828	120	30 00
92, .....	.....	120	Daniel Bristol,	Jan'y 10, 1828	121	30 25
102, .....	.....	20	Zebulon Ketchum,	Jan'y 10, 1828	20	5 00
103, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
104, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
105, .....	.....	80	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	80	20 00
106, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	100	25 00
107, .....	.....	100	E. F. Gilbert,	Jan'y 10, 1828	102	25 50
108, .....	.....	100	do	Jan'y 10, 1828	104	26 00
152, 153,	5.97	.....	Mort'r F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	805	205 00
154,	4.95	.....	William Baker,	June 22, 1835	750	190 00
155,	4.95	.....	Richard L. Allen,	June 22, 1835	750	190 00
156,	4.95	.....	do	June 22, 1835	780	195 00
157,	4.95	.....	Benj. Hodge, Jr., & Wm. Hodge, Jr.,	June 23, 1835	805	205 00
158,	4.95	.....	Nelson Randall,	June 22, 1835	1,000	250 00
159,	4.95	.....	Hiram Pratt,	June 22, 1835	1,150	290 00
160,	3.60	.....	Rowland Cromelian,	June 22, 1835	1,350	340 00
161,	3.60	.....	Wm. B. Bolles,	June 22, 1835	1,450	360 00
162,	3.60	.....	John Culbert,	June 22, 1835	1,860	460 00
170,	2.40	.....	S. J. Searles and A. Goodrich,	June 22, 1835	400	100 00

171,	.....	4.85	.....	Erastus Sparrow,	.....	June 22, 1835	800	200 00
172,	.....	4.95	.....	E. A. Maynard,	.....	June 22, 1835	850	210 00
173,	.....	4.95	.....	Wm. B. Bolles,	.....	June 22, 1835	900	225 00
174,	.....	4.95	.....	do	.....	June 22, 1835	900	225 00
175,	.....	4.95	.....	do	.....	June 22, 1835	1,050	262 00
176,	.....	4.95	.....	do	.....	June 22, 1835	1,150	290 00
177,	.....	4.95	.....	do	.....	June 22, 1835	1,130	280 00
178,	.....	4.95	.....	do	.....	June 22, 1835	1,260	320 00
179,	.....	3.60	.....	Wm. Barley,	.....	June 22, 1835	1,370	340 00
180,	.....	3.60	.....	Zebulon Ketchum,	.....	June 22, 1835	1,600	400 00
181,	.....	3.60	.....	Horatio Stevens,	.....	June 22, 1835	2,000	500 00
187, 188 and 189,	.....	7.28	.....	Wm. B. Bolles,	.....	June 22, 1835	1,310	310 00

Brant Lake Tract.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
28,	160	William Cook,	Mar. 18, 1824	\$100 80	\$12 80
51,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	48 00	12 00
52,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	32 00	8 00
96,	160	Elijah Humes,	July 20, 1830	57 60	14 60
105,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	56 00	14 00
107,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	48 00	12 00
110,	160	Peter Smith,	Aug. 24, 1832	93 60	23 60
112,	160	do	June 10, 1833	56 00	14 00
113,	160	do	June 10, 1833	44 80	11 80
114,	160	Hiram L. Bennett,	Jan. 28, 1830	129 60	33 00
118,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	48 00	12 00
119,	160	do	June 10, 1833	78 40	19 40
121,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	56 00	14 00
126,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	43 20	11 20
131,	96	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	13 80	3 80
132,	96	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	16 32	4 32
137,	160	Elijah Humes,	July 20, 1830	97 92	24 92
139,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	94 40	23 40
140,	160	do	June 10, 1833	81 74	20 74
141, N. part,	16	Moses Stickney, Jr.,	Jan. 21, 1824	21 60	2 70
141, S. part,	12	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	7 84	1 84
142,	160	Elias Hoadley,	Aug. 19, 1825	297 00	37 00
145,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	43 20	11 20

150,	.....	Joseph Russell,	.....	June	10, 1833	49 60	12 60
154,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Sept.	10, 1832	117 00	30 00
155,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	51 20	12 20
156,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	83 20	21 20
157,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	67 20	17 20
158,	.....	Benjamin Culon,	.....	Mar.	19, 1830	72 90	18 90
167,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	10, 1833	28 80	7 80
169,	.....	Benjamin Culon,	.....	Mar.	19, 1830	135 00	33 60
170,	.....	Joseph S. Wells,	.....	June	10, 1830	288 00	72 00
171,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	10, 1833	96 00	24 00
173,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	48 00	12 00
174,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	39 00	10 00
181,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	80 00	20 00
184,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	35 28	9 28
185,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	49 60	12 60
186,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	64 00	16 00
188,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	88 00	22 00
189,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	67 20	17 20
190,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	48 00	12 00
191,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	40 00	10 00
192,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	44 80	11 80
194,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	48 00	12 00
195,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	27 84	7 84
200,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	68 80	17 80
201,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	80 00	20 00
202,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	107 20	27 20
203,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	80 00	20 00
204,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	64 00	16 00
205,	.....	do	.....	June	10, 1833	54 40	14 40

Brant Lake Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
206,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	\$57 60	\$14 60
207,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	67 20	17 20
208,	130	Peter Smith,	Sept. 10, 1832	182 25	44 50
209,	160	Elijah Humes,	Jan. 6, 1823	216 00	27 00
210,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	12 80	3 80
211,	155	do	June 10, 1833	13 95	3 95
215,	160	do	June 10, 1833	41 60	10 60
216,	160	Nathaniel Ingraham,	April 17, 1826	180 00	22 50
218,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	48 00	12 00
219,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	80 00	20 00
221,	160	David Underwood,	Feb. 9, 1836	360 00	90 00
222,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	60 80	15 80
229,	146	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	39 49	9 49
231,	160	Ezra B. Smith,	Nov. 15, 1832	180 00	46 00
232,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	200 00	50 00
234,	160	do	Sept. 10, 1832	277 20	70 20
237,	160	do	June 10, 1833	36 80	9 80
238,	160	Lyman Dodge,	Nov. 22, 1826	108 00	27 00
245,	131	Oliver Underwood, Jr.,	Jan. 3, 1832	148 21	37 00
246,	149	Peter Smith,	Sept. 10, 1832	235 06	59 06
248,	184	do	June 10, 1833	37 32	9 32
249,	98	do	June 10, 1833	29 62	7 62
250,	103	do	June 10, 1833	36 05	9 05

251,	.....	107	do	.....	June 10, 1833	47 30	12 30
252,	111	do	June 10, 1833	50 29	13 29
253,	108	do	June 10, 1833	46 40	21 40
254,	74	do	June 10, 1833	14 80	3 80

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Schroon Tract.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	115	Dudley Farlin,.....	Oct. 28, 1833	\$27 60	\$7 60
2,.....	138	Amos Perry,.....	Nov. 22, 1824	248 72	31 72
5,.....	190	Dudley Farlin,.....	Oct. 28, 1833	31 09	8 09
6,.....	190	do.....	Oct. 28, 1831	27 93	6 93
7,.....	190	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	26 65	6 65
8,.....	190	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	28 56	7 56
20,.....	192	John S. Buckman,.....	Oct. 3, 1833	193 54	49 54
28,.....	135	Dudley Farlin,.....	Oct. 28, 1833	40 50	10 50
29,.....	158	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	37 98	9 98
30,.....	169	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	40 56	10 56
32,.....	160	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	22 40	5 40
47,.....	160	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	24 00	6 00
51,.....	169	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	25 42	6 42
52,.....	159	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	38 90	9 90
53,.....	76	do.....	Oct. 28, 1833	16 63	4 63

Westfield Tract.

Lot.	Acres.	Valuation.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
49,	160	. . . . .	Peter Whitney,	Nov. 22, 1832	\$224 00	\$56 00
50,	160	. . . . .	do	Nov. 22, 1832	230 40	58 40
55,	160	. . . . .	do	Oct. 11, 1832	200 00	50 00
56,	160	. . . . .	Lossen Fenton,	Sept. 29, 1832	176 00	44 00
			<i>Katerskill Tract (Greene Co).</i>			
74,	124	\$109 12	William B. Walton,	Nov. 27, 1835	109 12	27 12

Old Military Tract, (Essex Co.)—Township No. 1, Thorn's Survey.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1 A,.....	120	R. Thompson, A. L. & Robert P. Rice,.....	Sept. 23, 1831	\$91 00	\$23 00
2 B,.....	160	Platt R. Halsted,.....	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
3 C,.....	160	Barnabas Myrick,	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
4 D,.....	160	John Archibald,.....	April 22, 1848	120 00	30 00
9 I,.....	160	Alvin Abel, Jr.,.....	April 28, 1854	120 00	30 00
10 K,.....	160	Barnabas Myrick,	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
11 L,.....	160	do	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
12 M,.....	120	J. Archibald,	May 8, 1832	90 00	23 00
27,	160	Leander S. & C. A. Westcott,	Mar. 10, 1848	120 00	40 00
33,	150	Chas. & Henry R. Noble,.....	Feb. 6, 1829	112 50	28 20
34,	160	W. H. Tuttle & Geo. A. Stevens,.....	Oct. 23, 1835	160 00	40 00
35,	160	Surry Goss,.....	May 1, 1845	160 00	40 00
36,	160	J. Archibald,	June 14, 1845	160 00	40 00
37,	160	do	May 31, 1832	160 00	40 00
38,	160	S. Hinckley, Joseph Call,.....	Dec. 20, 1832	160 00	40 00
39,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1831	160 00	40 00
40,	150	J. Archibald,	July 11, 1832	112 50	28 00
41,	150	Elisha Flagg,	Sept. 13, 1825	112 50	14 50
42,	150	J. Archibald,	July 28, 1832	112 50	28 00
43,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1831	120 00	30 00
44,	160	Darius Westcott,	Oct. 18, 1847	144 00	36 00

47,	140	} Edmund F. Williams,	Nov.	6, 1847	199 50	49 88
48,	126		Nov.	6, 1847	124 80	81 20
49,	156	do	Feb.	6, 1829	115 20	28 80
50,	144	Chas. & Henry R. Noble,	Mar.	27, 1849	56 00	14 00
52,	112	Amos Barrett,	Jan.	20, 1832	168 20	42 20
54,	168	Norman Oalkin,	June	10, 1831	92 50	23 50
57,	92	Chas. & H. R. Noble,	Feb.	11, 1833	148 00	37 00
58,	148	Levi C. Goff (unbounded),	Feb.	5, 1836	138 07	32 87
		Resold to Thomas Stafford,	June	10, 1831	99 90	25 00
59,	111	Chas. & Henry Noble,	July	5, 1825	46 25	5 25
61,	92	John Knox,	Sept.	4, 1835	90 00	22 50
65,	120	Leonard G. Ross,	Mar.	16, 1841	120 00	30 00
66,	160	J. Archibald,	June	15, 1836	150 00	37 00
67,	200	P. R. Halsted & B. Myrick,	Mar.	16, 1841	120 00	30 00
73,	200	do	June	15, 1836	150 00	37 00
74,	160	J. Archibald,	Mar.	15, 1824	90 00	11 50
75,	120	William Brown,	July	31, 1848	120 00	30 00
76,	160	Edmund F. Williams,	Dec.	4, 1847	90 00	23 00
77,	120	Ivory Batchelder,	Jan.	6, 1844	138 00	35 00
80,	184	Manoah Miller,	April	11, 1853	90 00	23 00
82,	120	L. & O. Abel,	June	15, 1836	120 00	30 00
84,	160	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	120 00	30 00
112,	160	do				
Townships Nos. 1 and 2, Richard's Survey.						
12,	148	Elihu Hall,	Nov.	19, 1825	74 25	9 25
13,	64	Uri Sumner,	April	2, 1823	51 40	7 40
14,	415	Oliver Walton,	April	22, 1825	240 12	31 12
15,	850	Alden Hull,	Nov.	19, 1828	175 09	21 09

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
21,	173	Luman Fuller,	April 15, 1828	\$69 30	\$17 30
24,	471	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	189 00	47 00
25,	360	do	June 15, 1836	144 00	36 00
26,	180	do	June 15, 1836	54 00	54 00
28,	495	John I. De Graff,	June 15, 1836	90 00	25 00
38,	791	Sam'l B. Fisher,	Oct. 5, 1825	158 31	20 31
39,	295	Milton Sherburn,	Aug. 25, 1824	177 21	22 21
45,	256	Sam'l B. Fisher & Ezra Kent,	April 26, 1824	128 37	16 37
46,	328	David Lewis,	Dec. 11, 1826	65 60	65 60
47,	568	John Newbury,	June 15, 1836	174 00	44 00
50,	562	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	61 00	61 00
51,	616	J. I. De Graff,	June 15, 1836	71 00	18 00
52,	762	Reuben Johnson,	Mar. 18, 1824	76 23	9 23
53,	648	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	97 27	24 27
54,	1,002	do	May 20, 1835	100 22	25 22
61,	422	Rufus Walton,	Nov. 3, 1832	80 05	20 00
62,	995	Robert Crane,	June 15, 1836	108 00	27 00
66,	768	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	76 85	19 85
67,	925	do	May 20, 1835	111 04	28 04
68,	1,098	do	May 20, 1835	130 68	32 68
78,	200	do	May 20, 1835	80 00	20 00
77,	59	Orrin Dibble,	Feb. 24, 1824	41 86	5 86
85,	205	Jas. S. & Harvey Hott,	June 24, 1828	102 50	26 00

86,	Ambrose H. Sheldon,	Aug. 30, 1849	57 80	57 80
88,	Daniel Ware,	Nov. 5, 1823	97 55	12 55
89,	Benjamin Baxter,	May 31, 1824	75 00	9 37
91,	Joseph Bruce,	Sept. 6, 1824	84 87	10 87
93,	Sylvanus Stanford,	Oct. 30, 1828	85 55	35 55
<i>Township No. 11.</i>				
120	Uri Sumner,	Sept. 20, 1836	12 00	3 00
160	Nathaniel Purnort,	Sept. 4, 1836	16 00	4 00
160	Lucien Wright,	Oct. 17, 1825	24 00	3 00
160	Moses P. Morgan,	July 10, 1827	24 00	6 00
160	do	July 10, 1827	89 00	19 75
160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	36 80	9 80
160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 80	7 80
160	Uri Sumner,	April 2, 1827	32 00	8 00
160	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	81 00	20 00
160	Peter Smith,	June 8, 1833	32 00	8 00
120	do	May 13, 1833	24 00	6 00
200	Moses Sampson,	July 22, 1833	80 00	20 00
160	Peter Smith,	June 8, 1833	48 00	12 00
120	Uri Sumner,	Sept. 20, 1826	12 00	3 00
160	James Bushnell,	Aug. 18, 1820	64 00	16 00
160	Burton Shattuck,	June 18, 1829	64 00	16 00
160	Peter Smith,	May 13, 1833	56 00	14 00
160	do	May 13, 1833	64 00	16 00
160	do	May 13, 1833	64 00	16 00
160	George Iglar,	Jan. 19, 1830	24 00	6 00
160	James and Alexander Kallay,	June 14, 1820	40 00	10 00
160	Hiram Knapp,	Nov. 23, 1826	32 00	16 00

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Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
31,	160	Sept. 10, 1832	\$32 00	\$8 00
32,	160	Nov. 21, 1832	44 80	11 80
33,	160	Nov. 17, 1826	80 00	20 00
34,	160	June 8, 1833	40 00	10 00
35,	160	June 15, 1836	70 00	17 00
36,	120	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
37,	200	Oct. 4, 1827	50 00	12 50
38,	160	June 8, 1833	48 00	12 00
39,	160	June 8, 1833	48 00	12 00
40,	160	May 13, 1833	16 00	4 00
42,	160	Jan. 30, 1830	120 00	30 00
43,	160	June 8, 1829	64 00	16 00
44,	160	Dec. 8, 1829	72 00	18 00
45,	160	Nov. 4, 1833	48 00	12 00
46,	160	Nov. 4, 1833	65 60	16 60
47,	160	Nov. 4, 1833	72 00	18 00
48,	160	Sept. 5, 1826	32 00	8 00
49,	160	Nov. 23, 1826	32 00	8 00
50,	160	Oct. 6, 1826	16 00	3 97
51,	160	May 13, 1833	24 00	6 00
52,	160	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
54,	160	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
55,	160	June 15, 1836	61 00	61 00

56,	120	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	70 00	70 00
57,	200	do	June 15, 1836	96 00	96 00
58,	160	James Lamoreaux,	Nov. 2, 1830	16 00	4 00
59,	160	Burton Shattuck,	Sept. 30, 1829	112 00	30 00
60,	160	Jonathan Roberts,	June 8, 1829	64 00	16 00
61,	160	John P. Knettle,	Jan. 20, 1830	80 00	20 00
62,	160	Peter Smith,	May 30, 1835	64 00	64 00
63,	160	Joseph L. Weed,	Mar. 3, 1835	112 00	28 00
64,	160	Peter Smith,	Sept. 10, 1832	112 00	28 00
65,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
66,	160	do	May 9, 1835	40 00	10 00
67,	160	do	May 9, 1835	40 00	10 00
68,	160	do	May 13, 1833	48 00	12 00
69,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	22 40	5 40
70,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
71,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
72,	160	do	May 20, 1835	40 75	40 75
73,	163	do	May 20, 1835	40 75	40 75
74,	163	do	Nov. 4, 1833	52 80	13 80
75,	160	do	June 15, 1836	55 00	55 00
76,	160	Pollans A. Newell,	Jan. 10, 1829	24 00	10 00
77,	160	William Wells,	Nov. 7, 1828	32 00	8 00
78,	160	Moses Enmons,	Nov. 4, 1828	32 00	8 00
79,	160	John L. Foster,	Oct. 5, 1829	40 00	10 00
80,	160	William Finch,	May 9, 1835	64 00	16 00
81,	160	Squire Hinckley,	May 4, 1833	64 00	16 00
82,	160	Stephen Pratt,	June 15, 1836	72 00	18 00
83,	160	do	June 15, 1836	69 00	17 00
84,	160	James Lamoreaux,	Nov. 2, 1830	16 00	4 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
91,	160	John M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	\$16 00	\$4 00
92,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
93,	160	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
94,	160	James and John Rogers,	Feb. 24, 1849	40 00	10 00
95,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
96,	143	do	June 15, 1836	44 00	44 00
97,	163	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 56	5 56
98,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	40 00	10 00
99,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
100,	163	John M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
101,	120	Francis W. Lindsey,	Feb. 6, 1829	12 00	3 00
102,	160	Uri Sumner,	Mar. 4, 1828	24 00	10 00
103,	160	John S. Foster,	Oct. 5, 1829	158 40	39 60
104,	160	Jacob S. Moody,	Nov. 14, 1826	56 00	14 00
105,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 6, 1833	32 00	8 00
106,	160	do	Mar. 6, 1833	40 00	10 00
107,	160	Joseph Call,	Feb. 22, 1833	32 00	8 00
108,	160	Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	24 00	6 00
109,	160	James Lamoreaux,	Nov. 2, 1830	16 00	4 00
110,	160	do	Nov. 2, 1830	16 00	4 00
111,	160	do	Nov. 2, 1830	16 00	4 00
112,	160	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
113,	160	do	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00

114,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	57 00
115,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00
121,	.....	Pollans A. Newell,	.....	Feb.	6, 1829	12 00
122,	.....	do	.....	Feb.	6, 1829	32 00
124,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	13, 1833	24 00
125,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	24 00
126,	.....	Joseph Call,	.....	Feb.	22, 1833	24 00
127,	.....	do	.....	Feb.	22, 1833	24 00
128,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	24 00
129,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00
130,	.....	John M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00
131,	.....	James Lamoreaux,	.....	Dec.	18, 1830	16 00
132,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	18, 1830	16 00
133,	.....	John M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00
134,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00
135,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	13, 1833	16 00
136,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	18 00
137,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	80 00
138,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	64 00
139,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	64 00
140,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	64 00
141,	.....	Sidney Goncher,	.....	Oct.	1, 1829	24 00
142,	.....	Nathaniel Purnmort,	.....	Oct.	21, 1828	40 00
143,	.....	Chauncey Fuller,	.....	Aug.	27, 1829	56 00
144,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	9, 1835	24 00
145,	.....	Squire Hinkley,	.....	May	4, 1833	24 00
146,	Joseph Call,	Feb.	22, 1833	24 00
147,	do	Feb.	22, 1833	24 00
148,	Chederlaomer Marshall,	Sept.	29, 1835	24 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
149,	160	John M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	\$16 00	\$4 00
150,	160	Lawrence P. Gordon,	Aug. 21, 1834	16 00	16 00
151,	160	do	Aug. 21, 1834	16 00	16 00
152,	160	do	Aug. 21, 1834	16 00	16 00
153,	160	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	24 90	24 00
154,	160	do	May 13, 1833	24 00	6 00
155,	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
156,	120	Luke Baker,	Nov. 16, 1829	12 00	12 00
157,	200	Othneil Smith,	Jan. 25, 1825	130 00	17 00
158,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
159,	160	do	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
160,	160	do	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
161,	150	Gilbert R. Spaulding,	Jan. 19, 1830	22 50	6 50
162,	200	John Smith,	Oct. 7, 1829	40 00	10 00
163,	200	John Purmort,	July 5, 1827	60 00	15 00
164,	200	Wm. Finch for Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	50 00	13 00
165,	200	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	20 00	5 00
166,	200	do	Nov. 16, 1829	20 00	5 00
167,	200	do	Nov. 16, 1829	20 00	5 00
168,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1833	20 00	5 00
169,	200	do	Nov. 28, 1833	20 00	5 00
170,	200	Lawrence P. Gordon,	Aug. 21, 1834	16 00	4 00
171,	200	do	Aug. 21, 1834	16 00	4 00

172,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	21, 1834	16 00	4 00
173,	.....	Richard Lanckman,	.....	Aug.	25, 1835	32 00	32 00
174,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	25, 1835	32 00	32 00
175,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
176,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	12 00	12 00
177,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	35 00	35 00
178,	.....	Jacob Smith,	.....	Jan.	5, 1825	150 00	19 00
179,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	26 00	7 00
180,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	72 00	18 00
181,	.....	Elijah Stiles,	.....	Oct.	6, 1829	12 00	12 00
182,	.....	Nathaniel Purnmort,	.....	Sept.	4, 1826	40 00	10 00
183,	.....	do	.....	Sept.	4, 1826	64 00	16 00
184,	.....	John Purnmort, Jr.,	.....	Sept.	26, 1831	40 00	10 00
185,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	9, 1835	32 00	8 00
186,	.....	Luke Baker for J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
187,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
188,	.....	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
189,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	4 00
190,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
191,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
192,	.....	James Lamoreaux,	.....	Dec.	18, 1830	16 00	4 00
193,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	4 00
194,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	16 00	4 00
195,	.....	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
196,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	36 00	36 00
198,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	69 00	17 00
199,	do	June	15, 1836	70 00	17 00
200,	do	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
201,	John S. Foster,	Jan.	19, 1830	18 00	5 00.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
202,	160	Nathaniel Purmort,	Sept. 4, 1836	\$64 00	\$16 00
203,	160	John S. Foster,	Mar. 12, 1830	40 00	10 00
204,	160	Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
205,	160	Joseph C. Baldwin,	Aug. 24, 1830	24 00	24 00
206,	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
207,	160	do	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
208,	160	John Moseley,	June 18, 1830	16 00	4 00
209,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
210,	160	do	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
211,	160	Robert Crane,	April 7, 1834	16 00	16 00
212,	160	do	April 7, 1834	16 00	16 00
213,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
214,	160	John W. Jones,	April 6, 1830	16 00	4 00
215,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
219,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	100 00	25 00
220,	160	do	May 20, 1835	48 00	48 00
221,	120	do	May 9, 1835	36 00	9 00
222,	160	John S. Foster,	Mar. 12, 1830	64 00	16 00
223,	160	Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	40 00	10 00
224,	160	do	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
225,	160	do	May 9, 1835	24 00	6 00
226,	160	do	May 9, 1835	24 00	6 00
227,	160	do	June 15, 1836	26 00	26 00

228,	.....	160	John Moseley,	.....	June	18, 1880	16 00	4 00
229,	.....	160	do	.....	June	18, 1880	16 00	4 00
230,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	May	9, 1885	16 00	4 00
231,	.....	160	do	.....	May	9, 1885	16 00	4 00
232,	.....	160	do	.....	May	9, 1885	32 00	8 00
233,	.....	160	do	.....	May	9, 1885	40 00	10 00
234,	.....	160	do	.....	May	9, 1885	40 00	10 00
235,	.....	160	do	.....	May	13, 1883	48 00	12 00
238,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov.	21, 1832	40 00	10 00
239,	.....	160	Thomas Scott,	.....	Dec.	13, 1826	56 00	14 00
240,	.....	160	do	.....	Dec.	13, 1826	40 00	10 00
241,	.....	120	John S. Foster,	.....	Mar.	12, 1830	42 00	10 50
242,	.....	160	Joseph Call,	.....	Jan.	13, 1830	48 00	12 00
243,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	Mar.	6, 1833	40 00	10 00
244,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	6, 1833	24 00	6 00
245,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	6, 1833	24 00	6 00
246,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	6, 1833	16 00	4 00
247,	.....	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
248,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
249,	.....	160	Robert Crane,	.....	April	7, 1834	16 00	16 00
250,	.....	160	do	.....	April	7, 1834	16 00	16 00
251,	.....	160	do	.....	April	7, 1834	16 00	16 00
252,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
253,	.....	160	do	.....	May	13, 1833	64 00	16 00
254,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1835	49 60	49 60
255,	.....	30	Timothy S. Nash,	.....	Aug.	23, 1849	9 75	9 75
257,	.....	87	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	13 05	3 05
258,	.....	129	do	.....	Nov.	21, 1832	64 50	16 50
260,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00

Old Military Tract — Township No. 11 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
261,	120	Joseph Call,	Jan. 12, 1830	\$48 00	\$12 00
262,	160	do	Oct. 8, 1831	40 00	10 00
263,	160	Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	40 00	10 00
264,	160	do	May 9, 1835	40 00	10 00
265,	160	do	Mar. 6, 1833	24 00	6 00
266,	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
267,	160	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	16 00	16 00
268,	160	Joshua S. Felters,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
269,	160	Richard Lauchman,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
270,	160	do	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
271,	160	Andrew Lamoreaux,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
272,	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
273,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1823	16 00	4 00
274,	160	do	June 15, 1836	24 00	24 00
275,	160	do	June 15, 1836	36 00	36 00
276,	120	do	June 15, 1836	48 00	48 00
277,	200	do	Nov. 21, 1832	28 50	7 50
278,	197	do	Nov. 21, 1832	43 00	11 00
281,	120	Joseph Call,	Jan. 13, 1830	48 00	12 00
282,	160	David Nicholls,	Jan. 2, 1830	32 00	8 00
283,	160	Peter Smith,	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
284,	160	do	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
285,	160	do	Nov. 28, 1833	24 00	6 00

286,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28,	1833	24 00	6 00
287,	.....	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16,	1829	16 00	4 00
288,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20,	1825	16 00	16 00
289,	.....	do	.....	May	20,	1825	16 00	16 00
290,	.....	J. Lamoreaux,	.....	Dec.	18,	1830	16 00	4 00
291,	.....	Robert Crane,	.....	April	7,	1824	16 00	16 00
292,	.....	Samuel S. Lush,	.....	April	4,	1835	21 40	5 40
293,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15,	1836	40 00	40 00
294,	.....	do	.....	June	15,	1836	40 00	40 00
295,	.....	do	.....	June	15,	1836	16 00	16 00
296,	.....	do	.....	June	15,	1836	12 00	12 00
297,	.....	do	.....	May	13,	1833	27 30	7 30
298,	.....	Dyer Thompson,	.....	Feb.	21,	1827	48 00	14 00
299,	.....	do	.....	Jan.	10,	1827	83 80	20 80
301,	.....	Amos Denamore, Jr.,	.....	Sept.	9,	1828	22 50	6 00
302,	.....	Horace Gould,	.....	Sept.	15,	1828	24 00	6 00
303,	.....	Wm. Finch and Jas. Lamoreaux,	.....	July	18,	1829	24 00	6 00
304,	.....	do	.....	July	18,	1829	18 00	4 50
305,	.....	William Finch,	.....	Jan.	18,	1830	18 00	4 50
306,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20,	1835	18 00	18 00
307,	.....	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16,	1829	12 00	3 00
308,	.....	Robert Crane,	.....	Aug.	27,	1831	12 00	3 00
309,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	27,	1831	12 00	3 00
310,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	27,	1831	12 00	3 00
311,	.....	Theoditus Phelps,	.....	Jan.	14,	1828	12 00	12 00
313,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15,	1836	64 00	64 00
314,	do	June	15,	1836	64 00	64 00
315,	do	June	15,	1836	40 00	40 00
316,	do	Nov.	28,	1833	12 00	3 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
317,	200	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	\$20 00	\$5 00
318,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
319,	160	Samuel S. Lush,	April 4, 1835	40 00	10 00
320,	160	do	April 4, 1835	40 00	10 00
323,	160	Wm. Finch and Jas. Lamoreaux,	May 22, 1829	24 00	6 00
324,	160	do	July 18, 1829	24 00	6 00
325,	160	William Finch,	Jan. 18, 1830	24 00	6 00
326,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
327,	160	J. M. Bletsoe,	Nov. 16, 1829	16 00	4 00
328,	160	Jas. Lamoreaux,	Dec. 18, 1830	16 00	4 00
329,	160	Richard Lauchman,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
330,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 28, 1833	24 00	6 00
331,	160	do	Nov. 28, 1833	24 00	6 00
332,	98	Luke Baker,	Nov. 16, 1829	9 80	3 00
333,	114	do	Nov. 16, 1829	11 40	3 00
334,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
335,	160	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
336,	120	do	Mar. 6, 1833	12 00	3 00
337,	200	do	May 20, 1835	30 00	30 00
338,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
339,	160	do	May 20, 1835	64 00	64 00
340,	160	do	Mar. 6, 1833	24 00	6 00
341,	120	Joel Peck,	July 5, 1827	24 00	7 00

342,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	24, 1828	32 00	8 00
343,	.....	Jas. Lamoreaux & Wm. Finch,	.....	May	22, 1829	24 00	6 00
344,	.....	do	do	July	18, 1829	24 00	6 00
345,	.....	do	do	July	18, 1829	24 00	6 00
346,	.....	J. M. Bletsoe,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
347,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
348,	.....	Alonzo H. Gale,	.....	July	26, 1824	16 00	4 00
349,	.....	do	.....	July	26, 1824	16 00	4 00
350,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20, 1835	19 20	19 20
351,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	6, 1833	24 00	6 00
352,	.....	Luke Baker,	.....	Nov.	16, 1829	16 00	4 00
353,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	13, 1833	32 00	8 00
354,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	32 00	8 00
355,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	32 00	8 00
356,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	24 00	6 00
357,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	40 00	10 00
358,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	40 00	10 00
359,	.....	do	.....	May	13, 1833	24 00	6 00
360,	.....	do	.....	Feb.	2, 1827	80 00	20 00
361,	.....	Joel Peck,	.....	July	5, 1827	24 00	8 00
362,	.....	do	.....	Feb.	6, 1828	32 00	8 00
363,	.....	Joseph Call,	.....	June	4, 1829	24 00	6 00
364,	.....	Wm. Finch & Jas. Lamoreaux,	.....	July	18, 1829	24 00	6 00
365,	.....	do	do	July	18, 1829	16 00	4 00
366,	.....	Richard Lauchman,	.....	Mar.	27, 1824	16 00	4 00
367,	.....	Joel Peck,	.....	July	8, 1829	24 00	6 00
368,	.....	do	.....	June	11, 1829	33 60	8 60
369,	do	June	11, 1829	24 00	6 00
370,	Wm. Finch & Jas. Lamoreaux,	July	18, 1829	24 00	6 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
371,	160	Wm. Finch & Jas. Lamoreaux,	July 18, 1829	\$16 00	\$4 00
372,	160	Joshua S. Felters,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
373,	120	Joel Peck,	July 8, 1829	24 00	6 00
374,	160	do	July 8, 1829	32 00	8 00
375,	160	Wildes Densmore,	July 8, 1829	24 00	6 00
376,	160	do	July 8, 1829	25 10	7 00
377,	160	J. S. Felters,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
378,	160	James Lamoreaux,	Dec. 18, 1830	16 00	4 00
379,	120	Joel Peck,	July 8, 1829	24 00	6 00
380,	160	do	July 8, 1829	32 00	8 00
381,	160	Wildes Densmore,	July 8, 1829	24 00	6 00
382,	160	do	July 8, 1829	22 40	6 00
383,	160	Richard Lauchman,	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
384,	160	do	Mar. 27, 1834	16 00	4 00
<i>Township No. 12, Thorn's Survey.</i>					
4,	160	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	33 00	32 00
5,	160	do	May 20, 1835	32 00	32 00
6,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
7,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
12,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
13,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
14,	160	do	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00

16,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	4 00
19,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	80 00	10 00
20,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	40 00	5 00
21,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
22,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
26,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	80 00	10 00
28,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
29,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
63,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	56 00	7 00
70,	.....	William J. Waldron,	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	24 00	24 00
77,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	56 00	7 00
117,	.....	Joseph Estes,	.....	Nov.	8, 1828	128 00	32 00
124,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Mar.	26, 1829	80 00	20 00
134,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	56 00	56 00
135,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	56 00	56 00
136,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	56 00	56 00
141,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
142,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
143,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	4 00
144,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	4 00
145,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	16 00
146,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	16 00	16 00
147,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	11, 1823	56 00	7 00
148,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
149,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00
150,	.....	C. Marshall & J. Putnam,	.....	Mar.	16, 1835	16 00	16 00
151,	do	Mar.	16, 1835	16 00	16 00
152,	do	Mar.	16, 1835	16 00	16 00
153,	Peter Smith,	May	20, 1835	16 00	16 00

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Lot.	Acrea.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
154,	160	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	\$16 00	\$16 00
109, sub. 3, ..	170	Truman Jacobs,	Jan. 12, 1832	20 00	20 00
108, do 3, ..	140	Oscar F. Sheldon,	Oct. 18, 1848	120 00	60 00
<i>Richard's Survey.</i>					
1, sub. 1, ..	172	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	69 00	17 00
1, do 2, ..	163	W. J. Lewis,	Dec. 15, 1848	50 64	12 64
1, do 4, ..	148	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	75 00	16 00
2, do 1, ..	164	do	June 15, 1836	82 00	20 00
2, do 2, ..	156	Milo Merrill,	July 10, 1855	46 80	15 00
2, do 3, ..	192	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	78 00	19 00
2, do 4, ..	183	do	June 15, 1836	92 00	23 00
3,	1,440	Wm. B. Walton,	Nov. 2, 1835	144 00	38 00
5,	839	Sylvanus Stanford, Jr.,	Oct. 22, 1827	83 90	22 44
6,	1,440	Lawrence P. Jordan,	June 15, 1836	195 00	49 00
7, sub. 3, ..	188	Edwin R. Chase,	Nov. 15, 1849	56 40	14 40
7, do 4, ..	188	do	Nov. 15, 1849	75 20	18 20
8, do 1, ..	168	W. J. Lewis,	Nov. 25, 1848	67 20	17 20
8, do 2, ..	167	Pliny Nash,	Aug. 17, 1849	66 80	17 00
8, do 3, ..	150	W. J. Lewis,	Mar. 9, 1848	60 00	15 00
8, do 4, ..	150	Thomas Brown,	Oct. 1, 1849	60 00	15 00
9, do 1, ..	173	Robert G. Scott,	Oct. 18, 1848	52 00	26 00
9, do 2, ..	158	Timothy S. Nash,	Aug. 17, 1848	47 64	13 00

9,	do	3,	156	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	79	00	19	00
9,	do	4,	140	do	June	15,	1836	57	00	57	00
10,	do	1,	168	do	June	15,	1836	84	00	21	00
10,	do	3,	197	Edwin R. Chase,	Nov.	15,	1849	59	22	14	22
11,	.....	.....	1,440	Richard Lauchman,	June	15,	1836	194	00	48	00
14,	.....	.....	1,440	Wm. R. Tremells,	June	7,	1838	172	80	43	80
15,	sub. 1,	.....	160	Timothy S. Nash,	Aug.	23,	1849	48	00	12	00
15,	do	2,	160	do	Aug.	23,	1849	64	00	16	00
15,	do	3,	188	do	Aug.	23,	1849	56	40	14	40
15,	do	4,	188	do	Aug.	23,	1849	56	40	14	40
16,	do	1,	164	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	82	00	20	00
16,	do	2,	164	Timothy S. Nash,	Aug.	23,	1849	65	60	16	60
16,	do	3,	148	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	60	00	60	00
16,	do	4,	148	Timothy S. Nash,	Aug.	23,	1849	44	40	11	40
17,	do	1,	151	do	Sept.	17,	1849	45	51	12	00
17,	do	2,	151	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	76	00	19	00
17,	do	3,	136	do	June	15,	1836	69	00	17	00
17,	do	4,	136	do	June	15,	1836	69	00	17	00
18,	do	1,	148	do	June	15,	1836	74	00	18	00
18,	do	2,	148	Milo Merrill,	Oct.	13,	1853	44	40	13	00
18,	do	3,	173	Edwin R. Chase,	Nov.	15,	1849	52	17	13	17
18,	do	4,	173	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	70	00	17	00
19,	.....	.....	1,332	John P. Watrous,	Aug.	23,	1824	133	20	17	00
20,	.....	.....	786	William Lewis,	April	25,	1825	78	63	10	00
22,	.....	.....	1,386	Benjamin Briggs,	July	11,	1826	166	32	166	32
23,	sub. 1,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	June	15,	1836	80	00	20	00
23,	do	2,	148	do	June	15,	1836	70	00	17	00
23,	do	3,	188	do	June	15,	1836	94	00	23	00
23,	do	4,	173	do	June	15,	1836	70	00	17	00

OLD MILITARY TRACT — Township No. 12, Richard's Survey — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24, sub. 1,...	164	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	\$66 00	\$16 00
24, do 2,...	151	do	June 15, 1836	61 00	61 00
24, do 3,...	148	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
24, do 4,...	136	do	June 15, 1836	42 00	42 00
25,	645	Robert Crane,	June 15, 1836	89 00	22 00
26,	724	Lawrence P. Jordan,	June 15, 1836	97 00	24 00
27,	1,494	Benjamin Briggs,	July 11, 1826	179 28	179 28
31,	709	do	April 18, 1826	42 59	5 16
32,	628	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	189 00	47 00
33,	621	do	June 15, 1836	187 00	47 00
34,	711	Robert Crane,	June 15, 1836	88 00	22 00
35,	1,458	Benjamin Briggs,	July 5, 1825	87 48	11 00
36,	862	do	July 5, 1825	51 76	7 00
37,	861	Richard Lauchman,	June 15, 1836	100 00	25 00
38,	1,449	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	210 00	52 00
39,	708	Robert Crane,	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
40,	614	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	128 00	32 00
41,	539	Richard Lauchman,	June 15, 1836	130 00	32 00
42,	624	Chederloamer Marshall,	Sept. 29, 1835	74 98	74 98
43,	1,278	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	211 00	52 00
44,	761	Lawrence P. Jordan,	June 15, 1836	106 00	26 00

Triangle adjoining Township No. 12, Old Military Tract, and the north bounds of Township No. 45, of Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.

Acres.	
7,740 } 6,088 }	Granted to McIntyre & McMartin, by resolution of Land Office Commissioners, December 9, 1833, and November 15, 1827.

Township of Brutus.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
21,	100, S. E.	Mar. 13, 1823	\$450 00	
11,	100, ar. 50 a S. E.	July 8, 1828	475 00	\$119 00
89,	50, S. E.	Aug. 27, 1839	100 00	32 60
65,	100	May 19, 1829	475 00	118 75
99, sub. I, ...	125	July 1, 1824	162 76	21 00
89, do A, ...	124	Mar. 13, 1823	217 00	28 00
89, do B, ...	88	Mar. 13, 1823	154 00	20 00
84, S. E. sub.	100	Mar. 13, 1823	183 00	23 00
37,	500	April 24, 1828	1,250 00	313 00
40, part,	53	Nov. 1, 1842	203 00	95 00
21, sub. 2, ...	137	Mar. 19, 1824	291 63	100 63

59, S. E. sub.	100	Reuben Stevens,.....	Mar. 16, 1824	262 00	83 00	No. 115.]
50, sub. 6,...	96	<i>Township of Sempronius.</i> Ezra Jones, Jr.,	Mar. 9, 1824	313 50	39 50	
87, S. E. sub.	73	<i>Township of Solon.</i> Horace Newell,	April 26, 1854	700 00	175 00	
30,	100, E. side 399 a,	<i>Township of Sterling.</i> Jacob Sax,.....	Sept. 25, 1851	600 00	440 00	
30,	150	John Dow,	Sept. 25, 1851	900 00	225 00	
30,	149	Wiggins & Conger,	Sept. 25, 1851	897 60	224 60	
40,	50 ar. States 100 a,	Richmond & Smith,.....	May 22, 1860	870 00	217 50	
51, part,.....	54	John Ford,	Sept. 13, 1842	595 00	148 75	
88, S. E. sub.	50	<i>Township of Tully.</i> James Seager,.....	Mar. 13, 1823	206 00	26 00	69
78,	100, S. E.	<i>Township of Virgil.</i> Elisha Williams,.....	Mar. 13, 1824	350 00	44 00	
51, sub. 4,...	101	James Sweetland,.....	July 26, 1833	253 75	63 75	
51, do 5,...	107	Richard C. Tyler,.....	Dec. 14, 1830	269 00	67 25	
51, do 6,...	109	J. & R. C. Tyler,.....	Feb. 13, 1832	272 50	68 50	
57,	100, S. E.	Calvin Lincoln,.....	June 23, 1825	300 00	40 00	
60, sub. 8,...	7	Charles Gerard,	Dec. 14, 1830	27 30	27 30	

Islands.

Where situated.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Sly Island, on Oneida lake,	4	Dec. 31, 1855	\$10 00	\$10 00
Island in Seneca river, opposite 46, Brutus,	9	June 18, 1847	28 00	28 00
Island in Seneca river, opposite 35, Brutus,	42	Sept. 2, 1846	795 00	795 00
Magdalen Island, in Schroon lake, Small island at south end of	48	Mar. 18, 1824	29 00	4 00
Schroon lake,	7	Mar. 18, 1824	11 00	2 00

OLD MILITARY TRACT — Township No. 8, County of Clinton.
Unpatented Lots.

Lot.	Acrea.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17,	853	Nov. 12, 1852	\$152 50	\$152 50
34,	853	Dec. 30, 1851	75 00	18 75
47,	853	Jan. 20, 1852	85 30	21 30
51,	853	July 1, 1851	319 87	79 87
58,	853	Dec. 30, 1851	213 25	53 25
73, undivided half of,	426.50	Jan. 20, 1852	42 65	21 30

TOTTEN & CROSSFIELD'S PURCHASE — North part of Township No. 25, Thorn's Survey.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	113	John Dougherty,.....	Mar. 11, 1854	\$34 12	\$8 53
2,.....	97	Richard and William Evans,.....	Nov. 1, 1852	24 37	6 37
3,.....	97	do do	Nov. 1, 1852	29 25	7 25
4,.....	130	do do	Nov. 1, 1852	39 00	9 00
5,.....	130	James Kidd,.....	June 15, 1836	33 00	33 00
6,.....	105	R. and W. Evans,.....	Nov. 1, 1852	31 50	7 50
7,.....	90	do	Nov. 1, 1852	27 00	7 00
8,.....	90	do	Nov. 1, 1852	27 00	7 00
9,.....	120	do	Nov. 1, 1852	36 00	9 00
10,.....	120	Liberty Gilbert,.....	July 6, 1852	15 00	15 00
11,.....	140	R. and Wm. Evans,.....	Nov. 1, 1852	56 00	14 00
12,.....	120	Liberty Gilbert,.....	July 6, 1852	12 00	12 00
13,.....	120	do	July 6, 1852	15 00	15 00
14,.....	160	do	July 6, 1852	24 00	24 00
15,.....	160	William C. Potter,.....	Sept. 22, 1849	20 00	20 00
17,.....	120	John R. Boughton,.....	Mar. 16, 1853	36 00	36 00
18,.....	120	Liberty Gilbert,.....	July 6, 1852	15 00	15 00
19,.....	160	William C. Potter,.....	Sept. 22, 1849	20 00	20 00
20,.....	160	do	Sept. 22, 1849	20 00	20 00
21,.....	140	Andrew Porteous,.....	Nov. 22, 1850	56 00	14 00
22,.....	120	do	Nov. 22, 1850	48 00	12 00
23,.....	120	do	Nov. 22, 1850	36 00	9 00
24,.....	160	do	Nov. 22, 1850	40 00	10 00

25,	160	William O. Potter,	Sept.	26, 1849	16 00	16 00
26,	140	Andrew Porteous,	Nov.	22, 1850	70 00	17 50
27,	120	H. Quackenboss and T. H. Noah,	Jan.	30, 1846	30 00	30 00
28,	120	James M. Singer,	Mar.	6, 1846	42 00	42 00
29,	160	do	Mar.	6, 1846	48 00	48 00
30,	160	Henry Quackenboss and T. H. Noah,	Jan.	30, 1846	48 00	48 00
31,	140	Andrew Porteous,	Nov.	22, 1850	56 00	14 00
<i>Southeasterly part of Township No. 27, Thorn's Survey.</i>						
1,	62	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
2,	62	do	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
3,	62	do	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
4,	62	do	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
6,	62	do	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
12,	68	do	June	15, 1836	35 00	35 00
13,	68	do	June	15, 1836	35 00	35 00
14,	68	do	June	15, 1836	35 00	35 00
21,	160	Sanford Cobb,	June	15, 1836	46 00	46 00
23,	160	James Kidd,	June	15, 1836	53 00	53 00
27,	160	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	64 00	64 00
34,	160	James Kidd,	June	15, 1836	40 00	40 00
35,	160	A. N. Cheney and L. L. Arms,	Jan.	7, 1846	64 00	16 00
36,	160	do	Jan.	7, 1846	48 00	12 00
37,	160	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	64 00	64 00
38,	160	James Kidd,	June	15, 1836	72 00	18 00
39,	160	George Sanford,	June	27, 1845	40 00	10 00
43,	160	John H. Walker,	May	23, 1845	48 00	12 00
44,	160	A. N. Cheney and L. L. Arms,	Jan.	7, 1846	40 00	10 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
45,	160	John H. Walker,	Dec. 31, 1846	\$48 00	\$12 00
46,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	48 00	48 00
47,	160	J. H. Walker,	Dec. 31, 1846	48 00	12 00
48,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
49,	160	Cheney & Arms,	Feb. 9, 1847	48 00	12 00
50,	132	do	June 22, 1846	39 60	10 00
51,	160	Paddock & Cheney,	April 16, 1845	48 00	12 00
54,	160	D. W. Leggett,	Jan. 28, 1847	48 00	12 00
55,	160	J. H. Walker,	Jan. 16, 1847	48 00	12 00
56,	160	do	Jan. 16, 1847	48 00	12 00
57,	160	D. W. Leggett,	Feb. 17, 1847	80 00	20 00
58,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
60,	132	Cheney & Arms,	Feb. 9, 1847	73 00	18 25
61,	160	Paddock & Cheney,	April 16, 1845	40 00	10 00
62,	160	Cheney & Arms,	Sept. 8, 1846	48 00	12 00
63,	160	A. N. Cheney,	June 10, 1845	40 00	12 00
64,	160	D. W. Leggett,	Jan. 28, 1847	40 00	10 00
65,	160	} Cheney & Arms,	Feb. 9, 1847	80 00	20 00
66,	160				
67,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
68,	160	} Cheney & Arms,	Feb. 9, 1847	119 60	30 00
69,	160				
70,	132				

172,	Rogers, Buttrick & Powers,	Mar. 21, 1848	103 20	25 80
173,	Alexander Young,	June 16, 1836	40 00	40 00
174,	William W. Whipple,	July 13, 1841	83 20	23 20
175,	Rogers, Buttrick & Powers,	Mar. 21, 1848	104 24	26 06
176,	Ira A. Coolidge,	Dec. 7, 1839	89 60	22 40
177,	Alexander Young,	June 16, 1836	40 00	40 00
178,	do	June 16, 1836	67 00	16 00
179,	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	36 00	36 00
180,	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
181,	Israel Taylor,	Sept. 8, 1825	51 44	6 44
182,	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
183,	Alexander Young,	June 16, 1836	46 00	46 00
184,	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	57 00	57 00
185,	do	June 15, 1836	45 00	45 00
186,	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
187,	do	June 15, 1836	73 00	18 00
188,	do	June 15, 1836	81 00	23 00
189,	do	June 15, 1836	29 00	29 00
190,	Alexander Young,	June 15, 1836	85 00	21 00
191,	A. S. & R. Breed,	April 6, 1830	52 80	26 00
192,	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
193,	do	June 15, 1836	52 00	52 00
194,	do	June 15, 1836	56 00	56 00
195,	do	June 15, 1836		
196,	do	June 15, 1836		
197,	do	June 15, 1836		
198,	do	June 15, 1836		
199,	do	June 15, 1836		
200,	do	June 15, 1836		

ESSEX TRACT, or Henry's Survey — (Continued).

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
145,	180	Thomas Brewster,	Feb. 6, 1846	\$50 40	\$50 40
146,	180	do	Mar. 10, 1848	36 00	36 00
147,	180	J. Archibald,	Oct. 14, 1831	36 00	9 00
148,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	45 00	45 00
149,	160	Platt R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	53 00	53 00
150,	180	do	June 15, 1836	43 00	43 00
151,	180	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
152,	180	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
153,	180	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
155,	160	do	June 15, 1836	43 00	43 00
156,	160	do	June 15, 1836	41 00	41 00
160,	176	do	June 15, 1836	45 00	45 00
161,	176	do	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
163,	176	do	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
164,	176	{ Benjamin K. Coolidge,	Dec. 7, 1839	92 00	23 00
165,	160				
166,	160	Monroe Hall,	Jan. 1, 1847	40 00	10 00
167,	160	{ Jas. Rogers, W. H. Buttrick & H. G. Powers,	Mar. 21, 1848	64 00	16 00
169,	160				
168,	160	Alexander Young,	June 16, 1836	32 00	32 00
170,	168	Platt R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	34 00	34 00
171,	172	do	June 15, 1836	43 00	43 00

ESSEX TRACT, or Henry's Survey — (Continued).

Lot.	Acrea.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
204,	195	Reuben Jones for John Otis,	July 21, 1824	\$48 87	\$6 87
210,	176	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	68 00	17 00
214,	176	} William W. Whipple,	May 19, 1840	158 60	38 25
215,	160		Mar. 28, 1828	65 60	16 60
216,	160	Archibald Kee,	April 22, 1825	52 80	7 00
217,	160	Thomas Hartson,	April 14, 1827	75 60	19 00
218,	180	Noah Heald,	May 19, 1840	67 20	16 80
222,	160	W. W. Whipple,	June 15, 1836	55 00	55 00
227,	188	Peter Smith,	Feb. 7, 1825	43 09	6 09
228,	102	Zael Ward,	June 15, 1836	81 00	20 00
231,	201	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	66 00	16 00
242,	182	do	Mar. 3, 1827	69 38	17 38
244,	182	Charles B. Hatch,			

NORTH RIVER HEAD TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
21,	160	Maynard Kidder,	July 8, 1823	\$32 00	\$4 00
33,	170	Hiram Everest,	Oct. 27, 1825	85 20	10 20
34,	155	Frederick Hawes,	Nov. 15, 1825	46 50	5 50
36,	148	{ William McDonald (unbounded),	Jan. 19, 1833	.....	9 17
48,	160	{ resold to Platt R. Halsted,	May 16, 1839	38 00	9 50
51,	160	Charles L. Durand,	July 25, 1825	48 00	6 00
51,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	9 00
52,	113	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	72 00	18 00
53,	49	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	5 56
56,	160	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	46 00	46 00
57,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	1 70
58,	160	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	15 00	15 00
59,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	8 00
60,	160	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	67 00	16 75
61,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	6 00
62,	160	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	48 00	48 00
63,	160	Basil Bishop,	Dec. 27, 1825	64 00	7 90
64,	154	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	8 00
65,	160	{ and sold to Williams & Young,	June 15, 1836	67 00	16 75
66,	160	Maynard Kidder,	July 8, 1823	30 80	4 80
67,	160	Hiram Everest,	Oct. 27, 1825	64 00	8 00
68,	160	Charles Bartlett,	Dec. 19, 1825	64 00	8 00
69,	160	Christopher Bartlett,	Dec. 19, 1825	72 00	9 00

North River Head Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
68,	160	Willis Gates,	Dec. 7, 1825	\$48 00	\$6 00
75,	160	Frederick Hawes,	Nov. 15, 1825	48 00	6 00
76,	160	Christopher Bartlett,	Dec. 19, 1825	56 00	7 00
77,	160	Frederick Hawes,	Oct. 20, 1825	80 00	10 00
78,	150	John Crary,	Oct. 20, 1825	37 50	4 50
80,	157	John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	3 40
91, .....	....	John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	4 40
102,	160	John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	5 00
105,	160	Frederick Hawes,	Oct. 20, 1825	80 00	10 00
107,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	5 00
		{ and sold to P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
108,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	4 00
		{ and sold to P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
109,	160	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	.....	5 00
		{ and sold to P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
119,	168	John Crary (unbounded),	Jan. 14, 1826	5 40
138,	205	Daniel Ross,	Dec. 28, 1825	102 55	13 00

TRACT, west of Road Patents.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
27,	160	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Sept. 28, 1825	\$48 00	\$6 00
28,	160	do	Sept. 28, 1825	48 00	6 00
32,	220	do	Mar. 1, 1825	55 00	7 00
33,	168	Geo. Sanford and R. D. Linsey,	Aug. 3, 1842	33 68	33 68
36,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	40 00	10 00
37,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
38,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
39,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	40 00	10 00
40,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	32 00	8 00
43,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	40 00	10 00
44,	160	William H. Van Schaick,	Dec. 30, 1825	40 00	8 00
45,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
46,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
51,	160	do do	Mar. 15, 1833	32 00	8 00
52,	119	do do	Mar. 15, 1833	29 82	8 82
53,	228	do do	Mar. 15, 1833	79 97	20 97
54,	160	do do	Mar. 15, 1833	32 00	8 00
55,	160	do do	May 24, 1833	32 00	8 00
59,	160	Hoel S. Richards,	Feb. 2, 1846	40 00	10 00
61,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	40 00	10 00
65,	127	John Wymen,	Oct. 10, 1825	76 78	9 78
66,	88	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	30 80	7 80
68,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	56 00	14 00

TRACT, west of Road. Patents—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
71,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	\$32 00	\$32 00
72,	160	do	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
73,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	32 00	8 00
74,	160	do	May 24, 1833	40 00	10 00
75,	160	do	May 24, 1833	48 00	12 00
76,	168	do	May 24, 1833	50 46	12 46
77,	171	do	May 24, 1833	42 75	10 75
78,	168	do	May 24, 1833	49 68	12 68
79,	168	do	May 24, 1833	42 10	10 10
80,	181	do	May 24, 1833	45 40	11 40
81,	168	do	May 24, 1833	67 28	17 28
82,	160	do	May 24, 1833	64 00	16 00
83,	160	do	May 24, 1833	32 00	8 00
84,	160	do	May 24, 1833	32 00	8 00
85,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
86,	160	do	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
87,	160	do	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
88,	160	do	June 15, 1836	56 00	56 00
91,	116	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	46 44	11 44
94,	160	Wolcott Tyrrell,	Nov. 10, 1825	32 00	4 00
95,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
96,	160	do	Feb. 7, 1835	48 00	12 00
97,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00

98,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	May	24, 1833	32 00	8 00
101,	160	do do	May	24, 1833	56 00	14 00
102,	168	do do	May	24, 1833	67 28	17 28
103,	181	do do	May	24, 1833	72 64	18 64
104,	148	do do	May	24, 1833	44 55	11 55
105,	115	do do	May	24, 1833	46 00	11 00
106,	158	do do	May	24, 1833	47 40	12 00
107,	160	do do	May	24, 1833	32 00	8 00
108,	160	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	32 00	32 00
109,	160	do	June	15, 1836	48 00	48 00
110,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb.	7, 1835	56 00	14 00
117,	160	H. S. Richards,	Jan.	22, 1846	96 00	24 00
118,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb.	7, 1835	64 00	16 00
119,	155	do do	May	24, 1833	31 04	8 00
120,	143	do do	May	24, 1833	85 80	21 80
121,	156	Starr Platt,	Nov.	18, 1825	94 02	12 00
122,	156	Webster & Beeckman,	Feb.	7, 1835	86 18	21 18
130,	160	Barent Van Benthuyzen,	Mar.	28, 1826	40 00	5 00
131,	105	Abijah Smith, Jr.,	Oct.	21, 1831	63 48	15 00
138,	95	Webster & Beeckman,	May	24, 1833	23 92	6 92
139,	50	do do	May	24, 1833	15 24	4 24
142,	74	do do	May	24, 1833	22 44	5 44
147,	86	do do	May	24, 1833	25 95	6 95
148,	155	do do	May	24, 1833	62 04	15 04
149,	157	do do	May	24, 1833	47 10	12 10
150,	159	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct.	9, 1824	55 65	7 65
151,	141	Webster & Beeckman,	May	24, 1833	49 38	12 38
152,	182	do do	May	24, 1833	73 08	18 08
153,	161	do do	May	24, 1833	72 85	18 85

TRACT, west of Road Patents — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
154,	157	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	\$54 98	\$13 98
155,	175	do	May 24, 1833	70 24	17 24
156,	144	J. Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct. 9, 1824	64 98	8 98
157,	160	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	64 00	16 00
158,	157	do	May 24, 1833	47 13	12 13
159,	92	do	May 24, 1833	18 44	4 44
160,	83	do	May 24, 1833	20 90	5 90
161,	156	do	May 24, 1833	62 72	15 72
162,	146	J. Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct. 9, 1824	73 15	9 15
163,	167	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	50 28	12 28
164,	152	do	May 24, 1833	45 60	11 60
165,	157	do	May 24, 1833	39 27	9 27
166,	167	do	May 24, 1833	41 90	10 90
167,	152	J. Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct. 9, 1824	60 92	7 92
168,	79	do	Oct. 9, 1824	31 60	4 60
169,	70	do	July 29, 1825	21 15	3 15
170,	163	do	Oct. 9, 1829	48 99	6 99
171,	157	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	47 13	12 13
172,	155	J. Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct. 9, 1824	70 16	9 16
173,	66	do	July 29, 1825	16 70	2 70
174,	55	Webster & Beeckman,	May 24, 1833	22 28	5 28
175,	120	do	May 24, 1833	60 15	15 15

SOUTH BAY TRACT.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
123,	160	William McDonald,	Jan. 9, 1833	\$112 00	\$28 00
128,	160	John Patchin,	Nov. 23, 1835	192 00	48 00
129,	160	do	July 15, 1835	144 00	36 00
146,	96	William McDonald,	Jan. 19, 1833	63 45	16 45
		<i>Marsh Lots.</i>			
1,	50	Ralph Barber,	Jan. 23, 1834	25 00	10 00
2,	30	Henry Chase,	Nov. 12, 1824	15 00	2 00
3,	50	do	Nov. 12, 1824	20 00	3 00
4,	14	William Snody,	Jan. 27, 1834	7 00	7 00
5,	74	Doty Allen,	Mar. 12, 1834	18 50	18 50
		<i>Claus' Patent.</i>			
Great lot sub. 26, 3,.	43	John & Charlich Halsted,	Dec. 5, 1828	86 62	21 66
		<i>Royal Grant, 3d allotment.</i>			
97, S. part, .	200	Claudius Vickery,	May 2, 1834	250 00	62 50
		<i>Royal Grant, 4th allotment.</i>			
Between lots 53 & 54,...	100	William Favill,	July 8, 1831	850 00	212 50
		<i>Peru Bay Tract.</i>			
147,	224	Reuben Whalon,	June 8, 1830	202 00	50 50

PERU BAY TRACT—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Triangular piece of land in the towns of Putnam and Dresden, Washington Co., North by Hut- ton's Bush Patent, West by Turner's and others.</i>			
	101	Sarah Belden,.....	June 30, 1851	\$30 45	\$30 45
	200	Robertson's 2,000 Acre Pat., Luzerne, Warren Co. Seth Aldrich,	Dec. 10, 1850	200 00	50 00
		<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>			
84,.....	178	John J. Harris,.....	Jan. 6, 1826	89 00	12 00
86,.....	85	Thomas Hayes,.....	Nov. 22, 1824	68 40	8 40
87,.....	51	} William Gifford (unbounded),..... and sold to Stephen Pratt,.....	Sept. 30, 1823	.....	5 00
92,.....	159	John J. Harris,.....	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
93,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Feb. 6, 1826	119 32	14 32
94,.....	160	do	Oct. 28, 1833	40 00	10 00
100,.....	160	J. J. Harris,	Oct. 28, 1833	48 00	12 00
101,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Feb. 6, 1826	144 45	18 45
102,.....	160	do	Oct. 28, 1833	40 20	10 20
103,.....	159	do	Oct. 28, 1833	59 27	15 27
115,.....	154	} Jesse P. Burton (unbounded),	Oct. 28, 1833	39 93	9 93
132,.....	94	} and sold to Charles Roberts,..... Stephen Pratt,	Feb. 27, 1827	.....	28 50
			Oct. 15, 1839	115 50	29 00
			June 15, 1836	178 00	44 00

133,	106	do	June 15, 1836	81 00	20 00
		<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>			
1, .....	...	Maynard Kidder,	Aug. 12, 1825	58 20	7 20
2,	87	Ami Gilson,	May 18, 1825	43 65	5 65
11,	86	Ralph Watson,	Feb. 8, 1823	43 30	6 30
16,	80	do	Feb. 8, 1823	32 00	4 00
29,	137	Samuel P. Hooker,	June 15, 1825	34 25	4 25
30,	134	Maynard Kidder,	Aug. 12, 1825	33 65	4 65
31,	185	Gardner T. Barker,	April 29, 1825	74 16	9 16
33,	103	Simeon Sanford,	Aug. 11, 1823	51 65	6 65
34,	151	James Bartlett,	May 18, 1824	55 90	7 90
49,	146	Maynard Kidder,	Aug. 12, 1825	43 80	5 80
50,	146	Hiram Everest,	Sept. 8, 1824	36 50	4 50
54,	218	Peter Tarbell,	June 22, 1824	21 81	3 81
56,	218	do	June 22, 1824	29 82	4 82
59,	140	James Strong,	June 18, 1825	28 16	4 16
63,	127	Otis Clapp,	Aug. 18, 1824	76 20	9 20
65,	146	Maynard Kidder,	Aug. 12, 1825	43 80	5 80
68,	151	Otis Clapp,	Aug. 18, 1824	75 70	9 70
71,	494	John Crary,	Oct. 20, 1825	98 80	12 80
74,	257	John Bartlett,	July 11, 1825	51 44	6 96
75,	279	Bela Pratt & John Bartlett,	June 20, 1825	69 92	15 00
78,	144	J. Stevenson, Jr.,	Oct. 30, 1824	57 88	8 57
84,	320	do	Sept. 28, 1825	66 08	8 37
85,	320	Gardner T. Barker,	June 11, 1825	64 00	8 00
86,	257	do	June 11, 1825	77 16	9 16
87,	160	Alexander Young,	Feb. 16, 1825	64 00	8 00
88,	160	do	Feb. 16, 1825	64 00	8 00

IRON ORE TRACT—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
97,	320	James Strong,	Aug. 11, 1825	\$80 00	\$10 00
101,	160	do	Aug. 11, 1825	40 00	5 00
102,	160	do	Aug. 11, 1825	40 00	5 00
103,	160	do	Aug. 11, 1825	40 00	5 00
104,	120	do	Aug. 11, 1825	36 00	4 00
111,	108	F. Hawes,	June 14, 1825	32 64	4 64
137,	197	Mason Hallett,	Jan. 4, 1823	177 75	177 75
166,	140	John Crary,	June 8, 1825	35 00	5 00
168,	200	do	June 8, 1825	40 00	5 00
211,	92	J. Archibald,	May 1, 1834	60 00	15 00
225,	135	Wm. McDonald & B. Myrick,	May 1, 1834	55 00	14 00
231,	79	Mason Hallett,	Feb. 10, 1823	39 60	5 60
. French Mountain Tract.					
3, W. part,	170	Timothy Goodenow,	Jan. 30, 1828	162 50	40 50
33,	234	Ebenezer Bates,	April 30, 1834	60 00	15 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	160	Thos. and Elias Patterson,	June 15, 1836	\$120 00	\$30 00
9,	80	do	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
10,	160	do	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
11,	160	do	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
12,	152	do	June 15, 1836	76 00	19 00
13,	147	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	111 00	111 00
14,	160	Otis Kibling,	Dec. 4, 1844	160 00	40 00
15,	160	Thos. and Elias Patterson,	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
16,	160	Sewell Martin,	Jan. 17, 1845	240 00	60 00
21,	160	Reuben Wells,	June 15, 1836	100 00	25 00
22,	160	Nathan Russell,	Dec. 10, 1830	100 00	25 00
23,	160	George Rockwell,	Dec. 24, 1847	100 00	25 00
24,	141	Franklin Vose,	Dec. 14, 1848	70 50	70 50
27,	160	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
28,	160	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
33,	160	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
34,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
35,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
37,	122	do	June 15, 1836	46 00	46 00
38,	160	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
40,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
45,	160	do	June 15, 1836	80 00	20 00
46,	160	Isaac Smith,	Oct. 13, 1853	40 00	10 00

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STATE LOT, PALMER'S PURCHASE—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
47,	160	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	\$80 00	\$20 00
48,	115	Isaac Smith,	Oct. 13, 1853	46 00	11 00
49,	109	do	Oct. 13, 1853	54 50	13 60
50,	160	do	Oct. 13, 1853	80 00	20 00
51,	160	do	Oct. 13, 1853	80 00	20 00
53,	160	do	Oct. 13, 1853	40 00	10 00
57,	80	do	Oct. 13, 1853	24 00	6 00
58,	160	do	Oct. 13, 1853	48 00	13 00
59,	160	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
61,	96	{ Seth Aldrich, Wm. McDonald and William } B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
62,	160	{ James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
63,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
64,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
69,	160	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
70,	160	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	101 00	26 00
71,	160	Aldrich, McDonald & Wells,	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
72,	89	do do	Oct. 23, 1846	41 50	10 50
73,	83	Joseph L. Harris,	Mar. 27, 1848	120 00	30 00
74,	160	William P. Rhoades,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
75,	160	Aldrich & Stewart,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
76,	160	William B. Walton,	Oct. 18, 1848	40 00	20 00
81,	160	James Harris,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
83,	160	Aldrich & Stewart,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00

84,	77	William B. Walton,	June 15, 1886	19 25	19 25
86,	144	Aldrich & Stewart,	June 15, 1886	86 00	86 00
87,	144	{ Cyrus Burnham,	Oct. 21, 1847	114 00	28 50
82,	80				
88,	144	William C. Potter,	Oct. 18, 1848	22 00	22 00

SUSQUEHANNA LANDS — Town of Windsor, West Tract.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2,.....	116	Austin Bierce,	Nov. 26, 1828	\$203 64	\$50 64
4,.....	116	Cyrenus Howe,.....	Jan. 28, 1825	174 55	21 55
<i>First Tract in Windsor.</i>					
1,.....	100	Phineas Waller,.....	Jan. 2, 1833	201 12	50 12
2,.....	68	John B. Watrous,	June 29, 1841	136 25	47 85
3,.....	46	John Hupman,.....	June 29, 1841	58 13	23 56
4,.....	54	do	June 29, 1841	40 69	18 52
5,.....	59	Sam'l and Wm. Poole,	May 27, 1844	148 20	37 05
6,.....	98	John Vane,.....	June 24, 1844	148 20	37 05
7,.....	98	John Horner,	April 2, 1845	123 50	31 00
8,.....	100	Henry Saxby,	April 15, 1845	137 84	34 46
9,.....	101	John Horner,	April 7, 1845	126 25	31 58
10,.....	99	Jonathan Crampton,	Mar. 31, 1845	112 00	28 00
11,.....	99	James Guest,	April 5, 1845	91 56	25 00
12,.....	125	Malcom N. Hawkins,	Aug. 3, 1844	250 80	62 70
13,.....	125	Thomas Bevan,	Aug. 29, 1844	238 35	238 35
14,.....	127.	John Nicholson and Adam Rennie,	Feb. 17, 1845	222 67	55 67
<i>Second Tract in Windsor.</i>					
3,.....	91	Ambrose Wickes,.....	June 19, 1823	91 16	12 16
7,.....	90	James Benn,.....	Mar. 22, 1841	67 50	16 50
8,.....	90	Amon Langdon,.....	Mar. 22, 1841	67 50	16 50

DELAWARE TRACT IN WINDSOR.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	92	Samuel Alexander,	Mar. 18, 1824	\$92 00	\$12 00
2,.....	92	Elisha Alexander,	June 26, 1843	75 00	18 75
3,.....	75	Hiram Dickinson,	June 19, 1841	92 00	23 00
4,.....	75	do	June 19, 1841	138 00	35 00
5,.....	86	Gilbert Dickinson,	April 15, 1843	107 50	26 88
6,.....	109	A. Doubleday,	Mar. 30, 1848	218 40	55 68
7,.....	81	Isaac Hall,	June 2, 1842	142 80	35 70
8,.....	105	} Samuel H. P. Hall,	Feb. 5, 1849	298 95	98 95
9,.....	76				
10,.....	105	Nicholas D. Myer,	Mar. 1, 1833	157 50	39 50
11,.....	72	John Whitaker,	May 13, 1847	72 00	72 00
12,.....	84	N. D. Myer,	Mar. 1, 1833	84 00	21 00
13,.....	132	do	Mar. 1, 1833	132 00	33 00
14,.....	112	do	Mar. 1, 1833	126 00	31 50
15,.....	101	do	Mar. 1, 1833	113 85	28 46
16,.....	88	do	Mar. 1, 1833	88 00	22 00
17,.....	88	do	Mar. 1, 1833	88 00	22 00
18,.....	84	do	Mar. 1, 1833	84 00	21 00
19,....	51	Jacob E. Dick,	Sept. 26, 1831	51 60	12 60

THIRD TRACT IN WINDSOR.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	121	Oct. 5, 1847	\$213 40	\$53 35
2,.....	104	May 26 1846	183 70	183 70
3,.....	104			
4,.....	104	Oct. 5, 1847	598 29	149 58
5,.....	103			
6,.....	103	Oct. 23, 1847	374 82	93 71
7,.....	103			
8,.....	89	Feb. 28, 1823	155 61	20 61
10,.....	74	April 30, 1824	149 60	19 60
14,.....	103	May 31, 1841	193 87	48 46
17,.....	108	Aug. 23, 1845	193 87	48 47
18,.....	103	Oct. 21, 1842	193 87	193 87
19,.....	103	Nov. 21, 1842	206 80	100 00
20,.....	119	Dec. 5, 1844	218 72	218 72

Brighton Bridge Co., by H. Norton, Pres.,			Rochester.			
do do	Sub. 1	116	Wm. Simpson,	Aug. 25, 1830	638 00	160 00
do do	do 2	122	Elisha B. Strong,	Aug. 25, 1830	796 51	199 51
do do	Sec. C.	82	Horace Hooker,	Dec. 20, 1834	1,736 91	434 23
do do	do G.	56	W. S. Rossiter & W. B. Knox,	Oct. 22, 1831	1,128 20	282 05
do do	do K.	70	Horace Hooker,	Nov. 30, 1830	1,415 20	354 00
do do	do P.	84	do	Jan. 3, 1831	1,695 20	424 00
do do	do T.	82	Jacob & Daniel Graves,	Feb. 28, 1831	1,647 80	412 00
do do	30, sub. 1	105	Levi Hoyt,	Dec. 20, 1834	1,001 96	250 49
do do	30, do 2	105	John G. Duncan,	Dec. 9, 1831	1,160 17	290 00
do do	29, do 2	79	Levi Hoyt,	Dec. 20, 1834	762 20	190 55
do do	29, do 3	79	Lemuel Hatch,	Dec. 20, 1834	1,222 69	305 67
James Chesney,	17	. . . .	City of Albany (State St.). Caleb Benjamin,	Oct. 10, 1826	700 00	87 50
Stephen Cogswell, . . . . .	. . . . .	. . . .	Schenectady (2d Ward). John Brown, by land office,	Mar. 31, 1823	460 00	. . . . .
Ezra Coats, Jr., . . . .	. . . . .	187 39	Essex Co., in Willsborough. } Marshall Shedd, Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ of S. moiety of Township 19, Jessup's Pur. Archibald McIntyre,	Aug. 30, 1844	703 00	703 00
Smith Cogswell, . . . . .	. . . . .	4,480	Minisink Patent, 7th Div., 2d Range, Great Lot 16. Stephen St. John,	Dec. 24, 1830	275 00	68 75
Smith Cogswell,	1	125		Dec. 22, 1841	420 00	105 00

SALES UNDER MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.

Mortgagor.	Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Samuel Ayers,	67	146	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Anna E. Cherritree,	Jan. 20, 1852	\$14 55	\$3 55
Truman Beers & Giles Humaston,	51, 52, p. of,	120	<i>Hardenburgh Patent, at Delaware Bridge.</i> Ebenezer Sturges,	May 1, 1829	575 00	143 75
Phineas Brown,	206	206	<i>Essex Tract.</i> Isaac Williams,	April 7, 1828	748 00	187 00
Wm. Britton,	9	204	<i>Old Military Tract, Township 1, West Div.</i> Simeon Pike,	June 24, 1831	250 00	60 00
Wm. Britton,	240	151	<i>Essex Tract.</i> } John Ayers (unbounded), } and sold to Monroe Hall,	June 8, 1830 Jan. 20, 1844	167 87	72 75 43 00
Absalom Blair,	9	30	<i>Kayaderoseras Patent.</i> Joseph Blair,	Dec. 24, 1830	60 00	15 00
Leonard Barnes,	42	80	<i>Magin Patent.</i> Nathan Brown,	Sept. 15, 1830	115 00	29 00

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Brighton Bridge Co., by H. Norton, Pres.,			Rochester.			No. 115.]		
do	do	Sub. 1	116	Wm. Simpson,.....	Aug.	25, 1830	638 00	160 00
do	do	do 2	122	Elisha B. Strong,.....	Aug.	25, 1830	796 51	199 51
do	do	Sec. C.	82	Horace Hooker,.....	Dec.	20, 1834	1,736 91	434 23
do	do	do G.	56	W. S. Rossiter & W. B. Knox,	Oct.	22, 1831	1,128 20	282 05
do	do	do K.	70	Horace Hooker,.....	Nov.	30, 1830	1,415 20	354 00
do	do	do P.	84	do	Jan.	3, 1831	1,695 20	424 00
do	do	do T.	82	Jacob & Daniel Graves,.....	Feb.	28, 1831	1,647 80	412 00
do	do	30, sub. 1	105	Levi Hoyt,	Dec.	20, 1834	1,001 96	250 49
do	do	30, do 2	105	John G. Duncan,.....	Dec.	9, 1831	1,160 17	290 00
do	do	29, do 2	79	Levi Hoyt,	Dec.	20, 1834	762 20	190 55
do	do	29, do 3	79	Lemuel Hatch,.....	Dec.	20, 1834	1,222 69	305 67
James Chesney,.....	17		....	City of Albany (State St). Caleb Benjamin,	Oct.	10, 1826	700 00	87 50
Stephen Cogswell,.....	.....		....	Schenectady (2d Ward). John Brown, by land office,...	Mar.	31, 1823	460 00	.....
Ezra Coats, Jr., .....	.....		187 39	Essex Co., in Willsborough. Marshall Shedd,.....	Aug.	30, 1844	703 00	703 00
Smith Cogswell,.....	.....		4,480	Undivided $\frac{1}{2}$ of S. moiety of Township 19, Jessup's Pur. Archibald McIntyre,.....	Dec.	24, 1830	275 00	68 75
Smith Cogswell,.....	1		125	Minisink Patent, 7th Div., 2d Range, Great Lot 16. Stephen St. John,	Dec.	22, 1841	420 00	105 00

SALES UNDER MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE—(Continued).

Mortgagor.	Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
			<i>Minisink Patent, 7th Div., 2d Range, Great Lot 16.</i>			
Smith Cogswell,.....	3	126	Peter Hasbrook,	Feb. 1, 1842	\$63 12	\$15 78
do	5	126	do	Feb. 1, 1842	63 00	15 75
do	6	125	Joseph Carpenter,.....	Dec. 22, 1841	188 62	47 15
do	7	125	Stephen St. John,.....	Dec. 22, 1841	282 93	70 73
do	8, $\frac{2}{3}$ of	85	do	Dec. 22, 1841	148 75	37 18
J. & P. Campbell,...	9	100	<i>Sacandaga Patent.</i> Duncan McMartin, Jr.,	Dec. 24, 1830	350 00	87 50
Wm. Dewey, .....	.....	50	<i>Broadalbin, Montgomery Co.</i> Jacob Johnson,	Mar. 1, 1823	300 00	38 00
John Ely,	98	160	<i>Township of Ulysses, Sub. 3.</i> Samuel Parcell,.....	Jan. 26, 1826	800 00	100 00
Timothy Fassett,.....	2	....	<i>City of Albany, on the Great Western Turnpike Road.</i> John Woodworth,.....	Nov. 26, 1880	51 00	13 00

Samuel S. Lush,.....	26	275	<i>Mallory's Tract, except 50 acres southeast corner.</i>	April 30, 1826	165 00	41 00
Daniel Lamson,.....	113	87	<i>Township 1, Old Mil. Tract, Thorn's Survey.</i>	Feb. 21, 1828	215 75	53 75
Luther Marsh,.....	203	183	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>	Oct. 27, 1825	258 00	32 00
Timothy Morse,.....	sub. 1	50	<i>Burlington, Otsego Co.</i>	Oct. 29, 1825	525 00	66 00
do	2	51½	Joshua Gorton,.....	Oct. 29, 1825	334 75	42 75
do	3	163½	Elisha Nickerson,.....	Oct. 29, 1825	1,767 87	220 87
do	4	17¼	Warren Bly,.....	Oct. 29, 1825	129 37	16 37
do	5	11½	Jedediah Morse, by L. O.,.....	Oct. 29, 1825	80 50	10 50
Solomon Malbone,...	93	134	<i>Jay Tract.</i>	May 4, 1825	299 00	39 00
Roderick McKenzie,.	233	65	<i>Essex Tract.</i>	June 26, 1826	130 90	33 00
James B. Mower,.....	16	....	<i>New York City, 9th Ward, part of Kipp's Bay farm, that part of lot 16 which lies E. of Samuel street.</i>	May 25, 1831	1,900 00	1,900 00
			Angustus Wynkoop,.....			

SALE UNDER MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE—(Continued).

Mortgagor.	Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Calvin Hyde,	283	150	<i>Boston Purchase, in Broome Co., part of.</i>	Dec. 10, 1836	\$1,177 35	\$294 35
Elijah Hulbert,	50	25	<i>Town of Canaan, Columbia Co., undivided half of lot.</i>	Dec. 2, 1823	500 00	.....
Aaron Hayes,	236	125	<i>Essex Tract.</i>	Dec. 22, 1830	75 00	18 75
do	237	141	<i>Silas Stiles,</i>	July 28, 1832	90 00	23 00
Gates Hoyt,	44	159	<i>Luman Fuller,</i>	Sept. 18, 1837	397 50	99 50
Nath'l Higgins,	73	100	<i>Township 7, Old Mil. Tract. Platt Barnum,</i>	Jan. 20, 1852	10 00	10 00
Timothy Johnson,	30	216	<i>Township 5, Macomb's Purchase, Madrid, St. Lawrence Co. Anna E. Oherritree,</i>	Mar. 30, 1832	432 00	108 00

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Samuel S. Lush,.....	26	275	<i>Mallory's Tract, except 50 acres southeast corner.</i>	April 30, 1826	165 00	41 00	
			William Wells,.....				
Daniel Lamson,.....	113	87	<i>Township 1, Old Mil. Tract, Thorn's Survey.</i>	Feb. 21, 1828	215 75	53 75	
			E. A. Pease and Alva Holt,...				
Luther Marsh,.....	203	183	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>	Oct. 27, 1825	258 00	32 00	
			Charles Noble,.....				
Timothy Morse,.....	sub. 1	50	<i>Burlington, Otsego Co.</i>	Oct. 29, 1825	525 00	66 00	
do	2	51½	Joshua Gorton,	Oct. 29, 1825	334 75	42 75	
do	3	163½	Elisha Nickerson,	Oct. 29, 1825	1,767 87	220 87	
do	4	17¼	Warren Bly,	Oct. 29, 1825	129 37	16 37	
do	5	11½	Jedediah Morse, by L. O.,.....	Oct. 29, 1825	80 50	10 50	
			Daniel Bolton,.....				
Solomon Malbone,...	93	134	<i>Jay Tract.</i>	May 4, 1825	299 00	39 00	
			Reuben Sanford,				
Roderick McKenzie, ..	233	65	<i>Essex Tract.</i>	June 26, 1826	130 90	33 00	
			Uri Sumner,.....				
James B. Mower,.....	16	....	<i>New York City, 9th Ward, part of Kipp's Bay farm, that part of lot 16 which lies E. of Samuel street.</i>	May 25, 1831	1,900 00	1,900 00	
			Augustus Wynkoop,.....				

SALES UNDER MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE—(Continued).

Mortgagor.	Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Edward P. Stewart, .	.....	....	<i>Buffalo, outer lot 22.</i> Guy H. Goodrich,.....	April 12, 1830	\$1,300 00	\$325 00
Ralph Smith,.....	19	....	<i>Albany, north side Albany & Schenectady Turnpike.</i> Jonathan Hancock,.....	June 14, 1825	600 00	75 00
Eliphalet Steele,.....	<div>16 17 18</div> }	<div>....</div>	<i>Colonie, City of Albany.</i> John Woodworth,.....	Nov. 26, 1830	120 00	30 00
John Sinclair,	4	102	<i>Kayaderoseras Patent, lot 2 of subdivision of lot 4.</i> McNaughton, Muirhead & Bald- win,.....	May 11, 1826	300 00	150 00
Benjamin Seely,.....	14	98	<i>Queensbury (2 pieces).</i> Amos Haskins, see L. O. min- utes, vol. 6, p. 428,	Mar. 5, 1823	1,200 00	
Ira Slater,.....	25	100	<i>Mallory's Tract.</i> Norman Squires,.....	May 21, 1825	200 00	25 00

Ira Slater,.....	68	221	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Benjamin Wells,.....	Dec. 22, 1830	110 00	27 50
J. & D. Turner,.....	.....	145	<i>Town of Rutland, Jefferson Co.</i> Giles Doud,.....	April 5, 1826	1,200 00	150 00
Harmanus A. Vedder, A. & C. B.	.....	.....	<i>Amsterdam, Montgomery Co., on the Chuctenunda Creek, part of lots.</i> Zebulon Cook,.....	Oct. 29, 1827	300 00	75 00
	.....	.....	James W. Phillips,.....	Oct. 29, 1827	100 00	25 00
	5 6 7 8 9 15 16 17 18	..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... ..... .....	<i>Albany (2d Ward), undivided half of lots.</i> Israel Smith, by L. O.,.....	Jan. 13, 1824	450 00	.....
W. Van Vechten, ...						
David Wheeler,.....	208	103	<i>Essex Tract.</i> Benjamin P. Beach,.....	Jan. 27, 1826	128 75	16 75
David Wheeler,.....	11	100	<i>Mallory's Tract.</i> George Whitman,.....	Mar. 30, 1826	600 00	75 00

SALES UNDER MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE—(Continued).

Mortgagor.	Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Benjamin Whitman, .	7	206	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Reuben Sanford,	Dec. 28, 1831	\$103 00	\$26 00
Benjamin Whitman, .	1	249	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Charles Lawrence,	Dec. 15, 1831	240 00	60 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
10,	200	Peter Whitney,	Oct. 11, 1832	\$50 05	\$12 05
11,	119	James Petts,	Oct. 18, 1831	35 88	8 88
16,	197	David Rice,	Feb. 27, 1823	59 37	8 37
27,	185	Isaac Wood,	Oct. 1, 1825	49 95	6 95
<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>					
4,	149	Peter Smith	Oct. 30, 1833	29 80	7 80
5,	246	Richard Van Rensselaer,	Sept. 18, 1835	73 80	18 80
6,	344	do	Sept. 18, 1835	103 20	25 20
7,	441	do	Sept. 18, 1835	132 30	33 30
8,	320	do	Sept. 18, 1835	96 00	24 00
10,	645	do	Jan. 28, 1835	129 00	32 00
11,	536	Richard Bradt,	Nov. 7, 1826	268 20	67 05
12,	320	Abial Bingham,	Aug. 28, 1826	160 00	40 00
13,	320	do	Aug. 28, 1826	160 00	40 00
14,	320	David J. Conine,	Aug. 28, 1826	64 00	16 00
15,	320	Richard Van Rensselaer,	Sept. 18, 1835	64 00	64 00
16,	320	John Foot,	Oct. 19, 1829	64 00	16 00
17,	320	James Merenes,	Nov. 16, 1826	64 00	16 00
19,	274	do	Nov. 16, 1826	54 80	13 80
20,	337	Samuel Warren,	Oct. 23, 1826	67 60	16 90
22,	147	Seth Wetmore,	Jan. 25, 1826	36 75	8 35
23,	320	G. G. Vandenberg,	June 7, 1826	32 00	32 00

Oxbow Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	320	John G. Carnrike,	Oct. 23, 1826	\$64 00	\$16 00
26,	320	S. Wetmore,	Sept. 12, 1826	160 00	40 00
28,	320	D. J. Conine,	Aug. 28, 1826	32 00	8 00
29,	320	Abial Bingham,	Aug. 28, 1826	160 00	40 00
30,	320	do	Aug. 28, 1826	128 00	32 00
36,	309	Richard Van Rensselaer,	Sept. 18, 1835	61 80	61 80
37,	309	Cornelius Strobeck,	Dec. 5, 1826	30 90	7 90
38,	309	D. Wooster & Smith,	Dec. 27, 1826	30 90	8 00
39,	309	do do	Dec. 27, 1826	30 90	8 00
40,	309	do do	Dec. 27, 1826	30 90	8 00
42,	309	do do	Dec. 27, 1826	30 90	8 00
47,	154	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	38 73	38 73
56,	135	David Spraker,	Aug. 29, 1826	40 50	10 00
57,	154	Joseph Spencer,	Aug. 29, 1826	46 53	11 50
58,	155	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
59,	155	David Lewis,	Dec. 11, 1826	31 00	31 00
66,	155	Peter Smith,	Feb. 12, 1835	77 50	19 50
68,	155	S. Wetmore,	Jan. 26, 1826	46 50	5 82
69,	155	T. H. Brown & J. Spier,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
70,	155	John W. Cady,	Jan. 25, 1826	81 00	10 13
71,	155	Seth Wetmore,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
72,	155	do	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
73,	155	Marcellus Weston,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70

74,	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	46 50	11 50
76,	John Leiber,	Sept. 4, 1826	77 50	12 00
77,	G. G. Vandenburgh,	June 7, 1826	77 50	77 50
80,	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
81,	do do	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
82,	do do	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
83,	Seth Wetmore,	Sept. 12, 1826	77 50	19 50
84,	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	41 60	41 60
86,	{ Van Buren (unbounded),	Aug. 28, 1826	.....	9 20
	{ and sold to Rens'r Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	39 20	39 20
87,	David Spraker,	Aug. 29, 1826	15 50	3 50
90,	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
91,	do do	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
92,	Asa Osborne,	Nov. 21, 1826	15 50	4 00
93,	Geo. F. Fox,	Oct. 20, 1826	15 50	3 88
94,	Clement Hughson,	Oct. 20, 1826	15 50	3 88
96,	{ Martin Elmore (unbounded),	Sept. 12, 1826	.....	8 00
	{ and sold to Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	31 00	8 00
97,	John L. Bevins,	Mar. 11, 1828	46 50	11 50
98,	do	April 4, 1827	15 50	15 50
101,	Erastus Hamilton,	Dec. 26, 1826	31 00	8 00
102,	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	62 00	62 00
103,	S. Wetmore,	Jan. 25, 1826	62 00	7 75
104,	Erastus Hamilton,	Dec. 26, 1826	62 00	15 00
105,	Timothy J. Miller,	Dec. 26, 1826	62 00	31 00
106,	John L. Bevins,	April 4, 1827	62 00	15 50
108,	T. H. Brown & J. Spier,	Jan. 25, 1826	31 00	3 90
109,	Daniel Abrams,	Dec. 26, 1829	77 50	20 00
110,	Henry Mears,	Nov. 3, 1826	15 50	4 00

Oxbow Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
111,	155	Nov. 21, 1826	\$31 00	\$8 00
112,	155	Nov. 21, 1826	31 00	8 00
114,	155	Nov. 18, 1826	31 00	8 00
115,	155	Oct. 20, 1826	31 00	8 00
116,	155	June 6, 1826	31 00	31 00
117,	155	June 6, 1826	46 50	46 50
118,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	31 00	3 90
121,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	15 20	1 90
122,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	31 00	8 90
124,	155	June 6, 1826	46 50	46 50
125,	155	Sept. 12, 1826	.....	11 50
129,	155	Jan. 22, 1836	46 50	46 50
133,	155	Jan. 22, 1836	77 46	19 46
134,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
135,	155	Sept. 4, 1826	46 50	11 50
136,	155	Sept. 4, 1826	46 50	11 50
137,	155	Sept. 4, 1826	46 50	11 50
139,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	46 50	5 82
140,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	31 00	3 90
141,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
142,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	62 00	7 75
148,	155	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
		Jan. 25, 1826	45 00	5 68

145,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
146,	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	46 50	46 50
147,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
148,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
149,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
150,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	77 50	9 70
152,	Shadrach Dunning & Thos. Wayne,	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
153,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	46 50	5 82
155,	John Mearl,	Oct.	20, 1826	17 04	4 26
156,	Daniel Burbank,	April	5, 1826	46 50	5 50
157,	T. H. Brown & J. Spier,	Jan.	25, 1826	92 00	11 50
158,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	39 50	4 94
160,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	83 00	10 38
162,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	105 50	13 20
164,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	93 50	11 70
166,	Tillotson & Hamlin,	Jan.	25, 1826	37 00	4 70
167,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	76 50	9 60
169,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	60 40	7 80
171,	Joseph Spencer,	Aug.	29, 1826	46 50	11 50
172,	Schuyler Van Rensselaer,	Sept.	1, 1834	46 50	12 50
174,	do	Sept.	1, 1834	31 00	8 00
175,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	77 50	9 70
176,	C. S. Mayers,	Sept.	18, 1826	76 00	19 00
178,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	57 00	7 13
180,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	35 00	4 40
181,	Daniel Carmichael,	Jan.	25, 1826	111 00	14 00
182,	S. Wetmore,	Jan.	25, 1826	77 50	9 70
183,	do	Jan.	25, 1826	77 50	9 70
184,	John Leiber,	Sept.	4, 1826	77 50	19 00

Oxbow Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
185,	155	John Leiber,	Sept. 4, 1826	\$77 50	\$19 00
186,	155	Absalom Caldwell,	Feb. 19, 1827	31 00	31 00
187,	155	W. & C. Townsend,	Feb. 19, 1827	15 50	10 00
188,	155	do (paid in full to Trea'r, no bond given),	Feb. 19, 1827	15 50	10 00
189,	155	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	46 50	46 50
190,	155	do	Jan. 22, 1836	46 50	46 50
191,	155	do	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
192,	155	S. Wetmore,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
193,	155	do	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
194,	75	T. H. Brown & J. Spier,	Jan. 25, 1826	37 50	4 70
195,	154	McFarlane & Carswell,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 00	9 70
196,	155	Eli Cook, Jr.,	April 26, 1827	31 00	8 00
197,	155	do	April 26, 1827	46 50	11 50
198,	155	Amos Hendricks,	Nov. 19, 1826	46 50	11 50
199,	155	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	31 00	8 00
200,	150	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
201,	155	Esquire Ellis,	May 30, 1827	31 00	15 00
202,	155	Absalom Caldwell,	Feb. 19, 1827	15 50	15 50
203,	155	Amos Hendricks,	Nov. 21, 1826	31 00	8 00
204,	155	Joseph Cook,	Jan. 25, 1826	46 50	5 82
205,	155	James Gray,	Jan. 25, 1826	77 50	9 70
206,	142	McFarlane & Carswell,	Jan. 26, 1826	28 40	3 60
207,	155	Winther Reagles,	July 17, 1826	62 00	15 00

208,	155	James McLaughlin,	Jan.	26, 1826	77 50	9 70
209,	155	Jonah Scoville,	Jan.	26, 1826	77 50	9 70
212,	155	Oran Powell,	Dec.	12, 1826	15 50	15 50
213,	155	John Lieber,	Aug.	24, 1826	62 00	15 00
214,	155	do	Aug.	24, 1826	46 50	11 50
215,	155	S. Wetmore,	July	26, 1826	31 00	3 90
216,	155	J. Lieber,	Aug.	24, 1826	15 50	4 00
217,	155	Solomon Clark,	July	8, 1826	15 50	4 00
218,	155	do	July	8, 1826	15 50	4 00
219,	379	W. Reagles,	July	17, 1826	37 90	9 90
220,	819	Jacob R. Dingman,	July	3, 1826	81 90	20 50
221,	602	do	July	3, 1826	60 20	15 20
222,	740	S. Wetmore,	July	6, 1826	74 00	18 50
223,	457	W. Reagles,	July	17, 1826	45 70	11 70
224,	196	Dunning & Wayne,	Jan.	25, 1826	58 80	7 35
225,	374	J. D. Van Antwerp,	Oct.	9, 1827	37 50	9 50
226,	633	Samuel Caldwell,	Aug.	22, 1826	126 60	31 60
227,	640	W. Reagles,	July	17, 1826	128 00	32 00
228,	434	J. D. Van Antwerp,	Oct.	9, 1827	43 40	43 40
229,	640	Jacob R. Dingman,	Aug.	25, 1826	64 00	16 00
232,	500	A. K. Morehouse,	Nov.	18, 1835	100 00	25 00
233,	320	do	Nov.	18, 1835	64 00	64 00
235,	209	do	Nov.	18, 1835	41 80	41 80
237,	209	do	Nov.	18, 1835	41 80	41 80
238,	209	do	Nov.	18, 1835	62 70	62 70
239,	209	Spraker, Spencer & Cornue,	Aug.	24, 1826	62 70	15 70
240,	209	A. K. Morehouse,	Nov.	18, 1835	41 80	41 80
241,	148	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	44 80	44 80
243,	182	do	Jan.	22, 1836	72 80	18 80

Oxbow Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acrea.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
245,	153	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	\$30 60	\$30 60
247,	131	J. D. Van Antwerp,	Aug. 30, 1827	26 20	26 20
249,	179	David Woolworth,	Sept. 7, 1827	35 80	8 50
67,	50	<i>Massachusetts Ten Townships—North Tier.</i> Joseph Wheaton,	Sept. 7, 1831	150 00	37 50
6,	390	<i>Jay Tract.</i> { Asa Lawrence, do (resold),	Feb. 10, 1835	.....	17 00
16,	100	Elias Wilson,	Mar. 25, 1836	52 30	13 30
17,	119	Peter Smith,	Feb. 17, 1825	60 00	8 00
24,	375	Argalus W. Stark,	June 15, 1836	81 00	20 00
25,	278	{ Walter Warren, do (resold),	Feb. 11, 1834	75 05	19 05
29,	427	James Strong,	Feb. 11, 1835	.....	14 00
33,	156	Peter Smith,	Mar. 25, 1836	44 68	11 68
34,	390	do	Sept. 26, 1827	64 15	16 15
35,	390	do	May 20, 1835	31 20	31 20
36,	366	do	May 20, 1835	58 50	58 50
37,	380	do	May 20, 1835	58 50	58 50
38,	405	do	May 20, 1835	36 66	36 66
39,	405	do	May 20, 1835	57 11	57 11
			May 20, 1835	60 75	60 75
			May 20, 1835	60 75	60 75

44,	.....	Thomas McLeod,	Feb.	4, 1835	78 20	20 00
45,	.....	Peter Smith,	May	20, 1835	78 00	19 00
46,	.....	do	May	20, 1835	91 65	22 65
47,	.....	Stephen Rumsey,	Oct.	7, 1829	115 62	29 00
48,	.....	Peter Smith,	May	20, 1835	61 50	61 50
49,	.....	do	May	20, 1835	61 50	61 50
50,	.....	do	May	20, 1835	60 16	60 16
51,	.....	do	June	15, 1836	60 00	60 00
52,	.....	Elias Bidwell,	Mar.	7, 1826	99 40	14 25
53,	.....	Nathan B. Markham,	Aug.	27, 1832	54 25	15 00
54,	.....	Monroe Hall,	Oct.	1, 1844	55 76	13 94
55,	.....	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	44 00	44 00
56,	.....	do	May	20, 1835	43 36	43 36
57,	.....	do	May	20, 1835	59 00	59 00
58,	.....	Wm. Finch,	Sept.	25, 1829	73 75	18 44
59,	.....	do	Sept.	25, 1829	97 06	24 27
60,	.....	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1826	68 00	17 00
91,	.....	Hiram Partridge,	June	22, 1825	127 68	15 68
101,	.....	( Benjamin Wells,	Nov.	1, 1834	36 21	11 16
		do (resold),	June	14, 1836		36 21
102,	.....	Peter Smith,	June	15, 1836	44 00	44 00
107,	.....	Elisha Hall, .....	.....	.....	36 56	36 56
111,	.....	Zachariah Comstock, .....	.....	.....	124 68	15 68
<i>Hague Tract.</i>						
25,	.....	John Folsom,	Sept.	1, 1823	104 55	13 55
28,	do	July	9, 1823	105 30	13 30
30,	do	July	9, 1823	85 10	10 10
31,	do	July	9, 1823	96 52	12 52

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
32,.....	175	John Folsom,	July	9, 1823	\$70 20	\$9 20
33,.....	145	do	July	9, 1823	58 28	7 28
34,.....	165	do	July	9, 1823	74 38	9 38
35,.....	157	do	July	9, 1823	78 55	9 55
36,.....	160	do	July	9, 1823	64 00	8 00
37,.....	160	do	July	9, 1823	64 00	8 00
40,.....	160	do	July	9, 1823	72 00	9 00
41,.....	180	do	July	9, 1823	108 00	13 00
42,.....	185	Jonathan Gifford,.....	Jan.	22, 1823	110 70	14 70
43,.....	160	John Folsom,	July	9, 1823	64 00	8 00
49,.....	184	Wm. Cook,	Oct.	16, 1823	83 02	12 02
50,.....	150	Charles Harris,.....	June	4, 1825	60 00	8 00
51,.....	160	do	June	4, 1825	80 00	10 00
52,.....	184	Wm. W. Harris,.....	June	8, 1825	110 70	13 70
53	175	{ Wm. McDonald,	Jan.	18, 1833	73 21	21 50
		{ do (resold),	Dec.	17, 1835		18 21
54,.....	180	{ do	Jan.	18, 1833	74 87	22 50
		{ do (resold),	Dec.	17, 1835		18 87
55,.....	160	Seneca Mosier,	Nov.	22, 1824	72 00	8 00
56,.....	160	Edward Walker,.....	Sept.	10, 1824	64 00	8 00
57,.....	184	Martin Ward,.....	July	30, 1835	92 25	23 25
58,.....	184	Peter Smith,.....	June	15, 1836	93 00	23 00
59,.....	227	Jonas Putnam,.....	Mar.	31, 1824	147 55	19 55

60,	184	Seneca Mosier,	May	30, 1831	110 70	27 00
61,	196	William Ward,	Sept.	9, 1824	118 08	14 08
62,	173	Charles Clark,	May	11, 1824	121 10	15 10
<i>West Bounds of Skenesborough.</i>						
6,	154	George Johnson,	Mar.	15, 1830	92 94	23 94
8,	200	J. B. and K. Martin,	Mar.	9, 1830	60 00	15 00
9,	157	do	Mar.	9, 1830	62 80	15 80
10,	159	do	April	7, 1830	63 64	16 64
11,	161	Ebenezer White,	April	28, 1830	48 30	12 30
12,	75	Peter Comstock,	Mar.	19, 1830	26 32	6 32
13,	110	George Dolph,	July	8, 1830	38 64	9 64
14,	153	do	July	8, 1830	76 55	19 55
15,	158	Norman Dolph,	June	14, 1830	79 25	19 25
16,	158	George Dolph,	July	8, 1830	63 32	16 32
17,	159	Consider Bordwell,	Feb.	14, 1835	63 90	15 96
18,	133	Wm. McDonald,	Feb.	21, 1837	47 00	47 00
<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>						
1,	136	Wm. Ward,	Jan.	9, 1825	40 89	5 00
13,	248	Wm. Peffers,	April	16, 1823	62 00	7 75
21,	354	Palmer M. Baker,	Dec.	8, 1825	70 80	8 80
23,	276	John Patchin,	Dec.	13, 1825	55 20	7 20
31,	385	do	Nov.	4, 1825	77 04	9 04
36,	200	John Tanner,	Dec.	10, 1825	60 00	8 00
38,	200	Martin Burgess,	Mar.	15, 1825	40 00	5 00
39,	295	Amariah Taft,	Sept.	15, 1824	59 14	8 14
40,	266	Stephen Pratt,	Feb.	10, 1825	66 57	8 57
43,	212	John Patchin,	Nov.	4, 1825	63 78	7 78

TONGUE MOUNTAIN TRACT — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
44,	212	John Patchin,	Dec. 13, 1825	\$53 15	\$6 15
47,	152	Wm. Cook,	Feb. 12, 1825	60 92	7 92
48,	273	Augustus Moses,	Nov. 9, 1825	68 35	8 35
49,	270	John Patchin,	Dec. 13, 1825	67 65	8 65
50,	267	Charles Roberts,	Jan. 15, 1830	53 56	13 56
51,	201	Peter Smith,	Oct. 28, 1833	24 80	6 80
Warrensburgh Tract.					
2,	180	A. J. Fort and T. J. Marvin,	Feb. 12, 1833	126 28	31 28
3,	201	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	100 70	25 70
7,	214	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	107 30	26 30
8,	208	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	83 48	20 48
9,	254	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	127 10	32 10
11,	198	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	99 30	24 30
14,	200	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	60 18	15 18
15,	276	Joseph W. Paddock,	Jan. 2, 1828	82 86	20 86
17,	160	A. J. Fort and T. J. Marvin,	Feb. 12, 1833	40 00	10 00
18,	160	do do	Feb. 12, 1833	80 00	20 00
19,	151	Barney, Corse & Thorn,	Nov. 5, 1831	79 06	79 06
21,	132	do do	Nov. 5, 1831	92 59	92 59
22,	140	do do	Nov. 5, 1831	152 24	152 24

VILLAGE OF ONEIDA CASTLETON.

Block.	Lot.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
6,.....	8	Joseph Grant,.....	June 8, 1843	\$157 79	\$39 45
7,.....	4	Albert Patten,.....	Mar. 25, 1828	51 00	13 00
7,.....	5	E. Willard and J. L. Williams,.....	Mar. 25, 1828	30 00	7 50
7,.....	6	do	Mar. 25, 1828	22 00	5 50
7,.....	7	John Morrison,.....	Mar. 25, 1828	50 00	12 00
7,.....	8	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 28, 1828	30 00	8 00
8,.....	2	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
8,.....	4	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
8,.....	5	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
8,.....	6	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
8,.....	8	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
8,.....	9	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
9,.....	1	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
9,.....	2	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
9,.....	9	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
12,.....	3	Charles Jenks,	Mar. 25, 1828	50 00	12 00
12,.....	5	Stephen Parkhurst,	Mar. 25, 1828	30 00	8 00
12,.....	6	Sarah M. Parkhurst,	Mar. 25, 1828	37 00	10 00
13,.....	7	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
13,.....	8	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
13,.....	9	do	Mar. 28, 1828	40 00	10 00
14,.....	1	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,.....	2	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00

VILLAGE OF ONEIDA CASTLETON — (Continued).

Block.	Lot.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
14,	3	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 28, 1828	\$35 00	\$9 00
14,	4	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	5	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	6	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	7	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	8	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	9	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
14,	7	do	Mar. 28, 1828	35 00	9 00
15,	7	Stephen Parkhurst,	Mar. 25, 1828	40 00	10 00
17,	9	Philip Barnes,.....	May 24, 1825	40 00	5 00
17,	10	do	April 4, 1825	42 00	5 25
17,	11	John Morrison,.....	Sept. 23, 1823	48 00	6 00
18,	1 to 11 inclusive,	John A. Ferrill,	Mar. 25, 1828	40 00	10 00
19, .....	.....	Norman Morrison,	Jan. 14, 1834	50 00	13 00
22, .....	.....	Wm. Green,	Jan. 14, 1834	65 00	17 00
23,	1 to 11 inclusive,	Phineas Tuttle,.....	Mar. 25, 1828	40 00	10 00
24, .....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1828	60 00	15 00
25,	8, 9, 10	Wm. J. Scott,.....	Jan. 14, 1823	108 00	14 00
26,	5, 6, 7, 8, 9	Erastus Stoddard,	Mar. 25, 1828	56 00	14 00
27, .....	.....	A. Patten & E. Willard,	Mar. 25, 1828	48 00	12 00
28, .....	.....	Phineas Tuttle,	Mar. 25, 1828	40 00	10 00
29, .....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1828	56 00	14 00
32, .....	.....	E. Willard & J. L. Williams,	Mar. 25, 1828	64 00	16 00
35 and 36, .....	.....	Erastus Stoddard,	Mar. 25, 1828	45 00	11 25

33, .....	.....	Samuel Wright,	Mar.	25, 1828	69 00	17 00
41 and 42, .....	.....	Chester May,	Mar.	25, 1828	52 00	13 00
44, .....	.....	David S. Wright,	Mar.	25, 1828	96 00	24 00
45 and 46, .....	.....	E. Willard & A. Patten,	Mar.	25, 1828	89 20	22 20
47 and 48, .....	.....	Norman Morrison,	Jan.	14, 1834	73 00	19 00
49,	1 to 9 inclusive,	do	Jan.	14, 1834	52 00	13 00
49,	10, 11	George L. Russell,	May	4, 1828	60 00	15 00
50,	1 to 11	David S. Wright,	Jan.	14, 1834	70 00	18 00
51 and 52, .....	.....	do	Jan.	14, 1834	64 00	16 00
53 and 54, .....	.....	E. Willard & A. Patten,	Mar.	25, 1828	46 75	11 69
55,	1 to 11	do	Mar.	25, 1828	64 80	16 20
56,	1 to 11	David S. Wright,	Mar.	25, 1828	79 20	19 80
57 and 58, .....	.....	do	Mar.	25, 1828	48 20	12 20
104, E. half of, ..	1 to 5	E. Willard & J. L. Williams, ..	Mar.	25, 1828	60 00	15 00
104, W. half of, ..	.....	Peter Smith,	Mar.	25, 1828	80 00	20 00
106, W. half of, ..	.....	Richard Van Rensselaer,	May	12, 1828	75 00	19 00
106, E. half of, ..	.....	Peter Smith,	Mar.	9, 1829	55 00	14 00
107, .....	.....	John Morrison,	Mar.	25, 1828	28 00	7 00
<i>South Part.</i>						
10, W. part,	1	Erastus Stoddard,	Mar.	25, 1828	30 00	8 00
6, W. part,	2	do	Mar.	25, 1828	35 00	9 00
4,	3	Stephen Parkhurst,	Mar.	25, 1828	20 00	5 00
5, .....	.....	T. N. Ferrill,	Mar.	25, 1828	42 00	11 00
6, .....	.....	Alice A. Parkhurst,	Mar.	25, 1828	100 00	25 00
7, .....	.....	do	Mar.	25, 1828	80 00	20 00
.....	.....	do	Mar.	25, 1828	65 00	16 25
.....	.....	Ferrill & Schuyler,	Mar.	25, 1828	33 00	8 00
.....	.....	Ferrill & Patten,	Mar.	25, 1828	78 00	19 50

VILLAGE OF ONEIDA CASTLETON—(Continued).

Block.	Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
8,.....	.....	E. Willard & J. L. Williams,	Mar. 25, 1828	\$95 00	\$24 00
9,.....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1828	188 00	38 00
10,.....	.....	E. Willard & E. Lewis,	Mar. 25, 1828	126 00	31 50
7,.....	6	Ferrill & Schuyler,	Mar. 25, 1828	19 00	5 00
8,.....	9	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 25, 1828	10 00	10 00
	3	Thos. Tucker & J. L. Williams, ..	Mar. 25, 1828	1,500 00	375 00
	Mill Lot.				

CRUMHORN MOUNTAIN TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
4 D.,	50	Dec. 31, 1834	\$100 00	\$25 00
6 F.,	47	Oct. 3, 1825	94 00	12 00
43 G.,	47	Feb. 11, 1832	203 00	51 00
7 H.,	25	Sept. 14, 1825	50 00	6 00
9 R.,	69	Oct. 9, 1834	139 50	34 50
10 S.,	107	Oct. 9, 1834	214 50	53 50
11 T.,	50	July 24, 1833	110 25	28 00
18 B.,	180	Sept. 19, 1831	360 00	90 00
19 C.,	88	Nov. 24, 1828	198 00	50 00
21 E., east half, ..	104	Nov. 21, 1823	267 52	33 52
21 E., W. half, ..	124	July 5, 1831	425 79	107 00
24 H.,	198	Feb. 10, 1823	353 50	44 50
50 R.,	30	May 6, 1837	105 88	26 88
<i>Southeast.</i>				
9,	66	June 11, 1851	165 00	42 00
10,	28	June 11, 1851	98 00	25 00
11,	25	June 11, 1851	50 00	13 00
35,	121	Jan. 13, 1831	961 00	240 25
<i>New Stockbridge, Southwest part.</i>				
Foster, Mason & Foster,				
<i>St. Regis Reservation.</i>				
1, E. half,	101	July 25, 1839	385 00	97 00

St. Regis Reservation — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
5, W. half,	99	Wm. Russell,	Oct. 1, 1835	\$446 85	\$112 00
7, E. half,	113	Humphrey Russell,	Jan. 11, 1825	582 18	72 18
10, W. part,	104	Aretus M. Hitchcock,	Feb. 5, 1825	267 43	33 43
11, S. E. part,	51	Rebekah Gray,	Nov. 8, 1831	218 58	54 58
12, S. E. part,	43	Moses and David Flanders,	July 23, 1833	146 40	36 40
12, middle,	70	Webster, Rich & Sanborn,	April 11, 1823	300 00	37 65
13, middle,	43	{ Justus Videta (unbounded), sold to Benjamin Knower,	Dec. 22, 1824	. . . . .	22 00
13, W. part,	78	Ezekiel Glover,	June 8, 1830	184 29	184 29
14, S. W. part,	52	Stephen Videto,	Oct. 1, 1835	234 00	58 50
14, N. W. part,	52	John D. Paris,	May 1, 1823	178 29	21 00
14, E. part,	102	Win. Little,	Mar. 4, 1823	111 43	14 00
16,	202	Reuben Martin,	May 20, 1824	283 20	36 00
17, W. part,	101	Barnes Gleason,	Oct. 1, 1835	606 00	151 50
18, E. part,	12	Sands H. Austin,	July 2, 1823	435 43	54 16
18, W. part,	104	Wait Austin and W. Austin, Jr.,	Jan. 4, 1832	51 43	13 00
18, next middle,	58	John Ross,	May 7, 1823	403 07	51 00
19, S. half,	123	Barnes Gleason,	Aug. 16, 1823	174 60	22 00
20, N. part,	103	John Drum,	Mar. 26, 1823	369 60	47 00
20, S. part,	103	Drum & Stevens,	Oct. 31, 1835	412 00	103 00
21, N. E. part,	52	Eber Tryon,	Oct. 22, 1831	441 43	110 35
21, S. E. part,	52	John McElwane,	Aug. 20, 1823	222 86	28 00
21, W. part,	103	George McElwane,	April 22, 1836	133 45	31 25
			Oct. 1, 1835	309 90	77 12

22, E. half,.....	101	Fanny Moseley,	April 16, 1823	349 03	43 00
22, W. half,.....	102	Joseph Hall,.....	Aug. 7, 1824	349 72	44 00
23, E. half,.....	101	John B. McCue,.....	Oct. 1, 1835	125 75	31 44
24, E. part,.....	101	Jonathan Rich,.....	Oct. 15, 1823	217 50	28 50
25, S. part,.....	50	John Tryon,.....	Dec. 3, 1825	107 14	14 40
25, N. part,	153	Reuben Martin,	Mar. 17, 1825	329 79	42 00
28, W. part,.....	55	George McElwane,.....	Mar. 24, 1824	165 60	21 60
29, E. part,.....	100	Ebenezer Stevens,	May 11, 1829	385 72	96 43
29, M. & W. part,	102	John D. Reynolds,.....	Nov. 7, 1823	393 44	50 00
30,	246	Joshua Stockwell (by L. O.),	Oct. 1, 1835	617 25	154 25
32, W. part,.....	102	Reuben Martin,	July 23, 1823	524 58	62 00
33,	130	Shipman, Menton & Fuller,.....	July 23, 1823	446 74	56 00
34,	126	Sanders & Rogers,	Nov. 19, 1823	433 37	55 71
35,	127	Eliphalet Sanders,	Sept. 10, 1823	493 56	62 40
36, E. part,.....	29	Peter Smith,.....	Feb. 1, 1832	113 78	28 78
36, W. part,.....	92	Amos Emerson,	Aug. 27, 1823	556 79	69 12
37,	140	Lewis & Taylor,.....	July 2, 1823	480 00	61 85
38,	131	Samuel H. Payne,	May 23, 1823	451 55	57 75
<i>Mile Square on Salmon River, House Lots.</i>					
5, .....	.....	Arad Whitney,.....	July 21, 1823	15 00	2 00
21, .....	.....	Thomas J. Webb,	Mar. 7, 1832	150 00	38 00
47, .....	.....	Nathaniel Crary,	April 11, 1821	50 00	7 00
60, .....	.....	Wm. W. Herrick,	May 14, 1823	70 00	8 50
62, .....	.....	do	May 14, 1823	30 00	3 50
63, .....	.....	Arad Whitney,.....	July 21, 1823	30 00	4 00
67, .....	.....	Samuel H. Payne,	July 23, 1823	40 00	5 00
75, .....	.....	Jonathan Wallace,.....	Jan. 29, 1823	150 00	19 00

St. Regis Reservation — Mile Square on Salmon River House Lots.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
77, .....	.....	Ora F. Paddock,	Jan. 7, 1825	\$150 00	\$23 00
78, .....	.....	Roswell Bates,	April 24, 1823	50 00	6 25
86, .....	.....	Wm. W. Herrick,	Sept. 10, 1823	40 00	5 00
87, .....	.....	{ Wm. W. Herrick (unbounded),	Feb. 24, 1825		5 00
	.....	{ sold to Allen Lincoln,	July 26, 1833	40 00	10 00
88, .....	.....	{ Wm. W. Herrick (unbounded),	Feb. 24, 1825		5 00
	.....	{ sold to Allen Lincoln,	July 26, 1833	40 00	10 00
89, .....	.....	{ Wm. W. Herrick (unbounded),	Feb. 24, 1825		5 00
	.....	{ sold to Uriah D. Meeker,	Aug. 19, 1833	40 00	10 00
90, .....	.....	{ Wm. W. Herrick (unbounded),	Feb. 24, 1825		5 00
	.....	{ sold to Uriah D. Meeker,	Aug. 19, 1833	40 00	10 00
91, .....	.....	{ Wm. W. Herrick (unbounded),	Feb. 24, 1825		5 00
	.....	{ sold to Uriah D. Meeker,	Aug. 19, 1833	40 00	10 00
95, .....	.....	Jabez Parkhurst,	Sept. 23, 1823	40 00	5 00
97, .....	.....	Wm. Adams,	Jan. 2, 1823	150 00	19 75
Out Lots.					
5,	44	Arad Whitney,	Aug. 12, 1823	217 00	26 00
6,	3	Nathaniel Colver,	July 31, 1823	75 00	10 00
7,	24	James B. Spencer,	Oct. 2, 1826	352 50	79 00
10,	24	A. M. Hitchcock,	Feb. 27, 1823	154 00	22 00
12,	21	Hitchcock & Emerson,	Mar. 19, 1824	200 00	25 00

15,	46	Eliakim Briggs,	May 21, 1824	528 00	66 00
31,	119	George B. R. Gove,	July 18, 1823	614 57	77 00
BULLWAGABAY TRACT.					
4,	500	Samuel Hartwell, Jr. and W. Shattuck,	Sept. 23, 1824	150 00	18 75

RE-SALES OF 1817.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
62,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	\$48 00	\$12 00
122,	121		June 10, 1833	50 82	12 82
5, w. part, ..	100	<i>Chesterfield.</i> { Wm. McDonald (unbonded),	Oct. 5, 1825	.....	10 50
		do	Dec. 17, 1835	127 98	31 98
5,	120	<i>Essex Tract.</i> H. & S. Hinckley,	Dec. 12, 1825	99 53	12 90
226,	195		June 14, 1826	92 96	22 96
140,	180	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> Wm. D. Ross,	June 18, 1823	143 48	18 48
109,	117	<i>North-West Bay Tract.</i> Jacob R. Weeks,	Dec. 6, 1825	91 16	11 16
116,	186		Dec. 31, 1833	4 35	4 35
29,	80	<i>Old Military Tract, Township No. 1, Thorne's Survey.</i> Selah Westcott,	Mar. 16, 1826	90 24	10 24
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Township No. 11.

18,	160	James and John Rogers,	Feb. 24, 1849	64 00	18 00
117,	200	Moses Sampson,	July 6, 1826	80 00	20 00
237,	200	Hugh Robinson,	June 15, 1836	92 00	23 00

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Township No. 12, Thorne's Survey.

72,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	160 00	20 00
73,	160	do	Mar. 11, 1823	80 00	10 00
88,	160	do	Mar. 11, 1823	136 00	17 00
sub 2, 102, 109	145	do	June 15, 1836	116 00	29 00
103,	160	do	Mar. 11, 1823	128 00	16 00
118,	160	do	Mar. 26, 1829	120 00	30 00

Oneida Reservation.

100,	150	Richard Van Rensselaer,	Feb. 18, 1833	272 87	68 87
101,	129	do	Feb. 18, 1833	279 48	69 48
65, N. W. p.,	108	Philip Snyder,	Jan. 22, 1824	329 42	99 00

South Bay Tract.

157,	123	David Wetherby,	Feb. 10, 1825	38 53	4 53
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Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, Township 27,
South Part.

5,	62	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	41 00	41 00
18,	80	John I. Boyd,	June 15, 1836	30 00	30 00
29,	160	George Sanford,	June 27, 1845	59 85	15 00

RE-SALES OF 1817— (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
36,	160	<i>Westfield Tract.</i> Eli Skinner,	July 2, 1832	\$193 78	\$48 78
54,	160		Sept. 11, 1835	176 00	44 00
143,	28	<i>Tract West of Road Patents.</i> Webster & Beekman,	April 4, 1823	15 10	4 10

RE-SALES OF 1818.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
94,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>	June 10, 1833	\$160 00	\$40 00
95,	160		June 28, 1825	189 23	23 23
106,	160		June 10, 1833	51 20	12 20
14,	152	<i>First Pagan Purchase.</i>		800 00	200 00
		S. S. Breese & H. Seymour,			
232, 233, 234,		<i>Village of Lewiston.</i>		90 27	12 00
		Wm. Kelsey,			
83,	160	<i>Old Military Tract, Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i>	July 13, 1825	148 90	18 90
86,	120		June 15, 1836	90 00	22 00
259,	160	<i>Township No. 11.</i>	Nov. 21, 1832	57 20	12 20
279,	200		July 14, 1826	100 00	25 00
320,	160		April 4, 1835	40 00	11 00
		<i>Old Military Tract, Township 12, Thorne's survey.</i>			
32,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	160 00	20 00
57,	160		July 6, 1826	120 00	30 00
		Mosca Sampson,			

RE-SALES OF 1818—Old Military Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Township No. 12, Thorne's Survey.</i>			
78,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	\$80 00	\$10 00
80,	160	do	Mar. 11, 1823	160 00	20 00
85,	160	Malcolm McMartin,	Mar. 11, 1823	56 00	7 00
86,	136	Iddo Osgood,	Aug. 2, 1828	102 00	25 50
94,	184	Peter Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	92 00	12 00
Sub. 1 of 102, 108 & 109, ..	160	do	June 15, 1836	144 00	33 00
		<i>Paradox Tract.</i>			133
104,	140	Otis Clapp,	Aug. 5, 1824	79 20	9 90
		<i>South Bay Tract.</i>			
150,	95	Wm. Burton,	Feb. 10, 1825	27 90	3 90
		<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, Township 27, South Part.</i>			
33,	160	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
		<i>Tract West of Road Patents.</i>			
63,	176	John Crary,	Oct. 20, 1825	73 37	9 37
100,	160	Webster & Beekman,	May 24, 1833	40 27	10 27
116,	160	Walcott Tyrrell,	Dec. 30, 1825	82 71	10 71
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RE-SALES OF 1820.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Village of Black Rock.</i>			
		Block 33, O'Hara & Milton,	Dec. 23, 1825	\$209 38	\$26 17
		Middle third of block 34, O'Hara & Milton,	Dec. 23, 1825	136 25	17 04
		S. third of block 34, O'Hara & Milton,	Dec. 23, 1825	118 35	14 80
		<i>South Div., bounded W. by Lake Erie, E. by 4th street, between Jersey and Pennsylvania streets.</i>			
	9	Frazer, Spencer & Brown,	Mar. 5, 1824	600 34	75 34
		<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>			
19, .....	.....	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	11 20	3 20
47, .....	.....	Hiram Barber,	Nov. 15, 1831	139 00	35 00
48, .....	.....	Peter Smith,	Nov. 19, 1832	107 93	27 93
49, .....	.....	do	Dec. 8, 1832	172 04	43 04
53, .....	.....	do	June 10, 1833	19 80	4 80
54, .....	.....	do	Nov. 19, 1832	92 09	23 09
80, .....	.....	Joseph Russell,	Oct. 26, 1830	92 09	23 09
81, .....	.....	John S. Wells,	Nov. 2, 1831	92 09	23 09
82, .....	.....	Wm. Ward,	Mar. 23, 1839	66 35	16 59
85,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	21 75	5 75
86,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	24 00	6 00
90,	160	Elijah Humes,	Aug. 6, 1825	87 01	11 01

RE-SALES OF 1820 — Brant Lake Tract—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
104,	160	{ Lyman Dodge (unbounded),	Jan. 17, 1826	....	\$41 51
117,	160	{ sold to Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	\$32 00	8 00
183,	66	H. Waters & A. Priest,	July 18, 1825	137 01	17 01
217,	160	Fox, Stickney & Fox,	Jan. 9, 1823	27 94	4 94
232,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	68 80	17 80
230,	160	do	June 10, 1833	56 00	14 00
235,	160	do	June 10, 1833	88 00	22 00
236,	160	do	June 10, 1833	30 40	7 40
242,	168	do	Aug. 24, 1832	108 84	27 84
243,	105	do	June 10, 1833	336 00	84 00
		David J. Pritchard,	May 30, 1827	109 01	29 75
13,	153	First Pagan Purchase.			
29,	119	Wm. J. Printup,	Mar. 16, 1824	1,552 00	194 00
		Jacob Mancius,	Mar. 16, 1824	1,309 00	163 00
202,	160	Essex Tract.			
		Joseph Bruce,	Mar. 4, 1825	122 50	15 50
115,	160	Iron Ore Tract.			
133,	160	Lewis Post,	July 9, 1824	49 30	6 50
234,	59	James Strong,	Aug. 11, 1825	47 42	5 72
		Charles B. Hatch,	Aug. 5, 1824	61 91	8 91

Outer lots.		Village of Leoviston.				No. 115.]	
22, .....	.....	Calvin Hotchkiss,	July	5, 1832	308 78	78 78
145, 146, 147, .....	.....	Peter Smith,	Feb.	13, 1834	50 00	12 50
309, .....	.....	Benjamin Barton,	Feb.	13, 1834	41 00	10 25
321, .....	.....	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Feb.	13, 1834	42 00	10 00
322, .....	.....	do	July	5, 1832	91 50	22 50
		Lucerne Tract.					
5, .....	.....	Sylvanus Dixon,	June	17, 1823	265 97	33 97
111, .....	.....	Thomas Patterson,	Mar.	24, 1826	36 72	4 72
143, .....	.....	John Murray,	Aug.	12, 1825	79 53	9 53
147, .....	.....	Samuel Newton,	Mar.	24, 1826	144 82	18 00
148, .....	.....	Nelson J. Warren,	Jan.	27, 1825	92 16	11 16
154, .....	.....	Fred. P. Osborne,	Mar.	1, 1833	100 80	25 80
166, .....	.....	Sylvester Putney,	Mar.	23, 1824	141 40	18 00
		North River Head Tract.					
79,	160	John Crary,	Jan.	14, 1826	36 60	4 00	
103,	152	{ John Crary (unbounded),	Jan.	14, 1826	.....	3 17
104,	160	{ sold to Wm. Leavenworth,	June	15, 1837	23 00	23 00	
		Frederick Hawes,	Dec.	28, 1825	21 58	2 92	
		Northwest Bay Tract.					
104,	186	Peter Smith,	Oct.	28, 1833	63 51	15 51	
105,	186	do	Oct.	28, 1833	63 24	16 24	
106,	157	do	Oct.	28, 1833	29 94	7 94	
107,	159	do	Oct.	28, 1833	79 90	19 90	
108,	159	do	Oct.	28, 1833	71 91	17 91	
110,	129	John J. Harris,	Jan.	10, 1825	78 73	9 73	

RE-SALES OF 1820 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
114,	176	Ezekiel Barber,	Dec. 21, 1824	\$54.07	\$7 07
117,	210	J. J. Harris,	Jan. 29, 1824	58 36	7 36
118,	181	Peter Smith,	Dec. 31, 1833	4 23	4 23
119,	182	do	Dec. 31, 1833	4 26	4 26
120,	161	Oliver Wetherbee,	Oct. 25, 1826	87 31	21 83
123,	120	Peter Smith,	Dec. 31, 1833	5 24	5 24
124,	129	do	Dec. 31, 1833	3 89	3 89
126,	122	do	Oct. 28, 1833	7 75	1 75
127,	138	do	Oct. 28, 1833	9 66	2 66
136					
72,	113	<i>Niagara Tract.</i>			
77,	91	Wm. T. Miller,	Dec. 14, 1830	480 25	120 06
		Zebulon Ketchum,	Dec. 14, 1830	350 35	87 58
<i>Old Military Tract — Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i>					
30,	100	Charles Noble,	April 29, 1826	87 15	22 00
85,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
87,	160	Manoah Miller,	Jan. 19, 1838	120 00	30 00
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27,	247	<i>Richard's Survey.</i>			
57,	436	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	80 00	30 00
		Sylvanus Stanford, Jr.,	July 25, 1827	46 16	46 16

63,	704	do	Oct.	12, 1827	56 56	16 84
81,	213	Joseph W. Snow,	Feb.	19, 1834	163 39	41 00
84,	100	Peter Smith	June	15, 1836	51 00	51 00
87,	412	Platt R. Halsted,	June	15, 1836	68 00	17 00
92,	422	do	June	15, 1836	69 00	17 00
<i>Township No. 11 — Old Military Tract.</i>						
19,	160	Jenkins & McDonald,	June	15, 1836	60 00	60 00
53,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov.	4, 1833	19 20	5 20
197,	175	do	Nov.	4, 1833	52 50	13 50
217,	200	do	Nov.	4, 1833	48 00	12 00
218,	160	do	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	10 00
300,	143	do	May	20, 1835	35 75	35 75

<i>Township No. 12 — Richard's Survey.</i>						
12,	843	Benjamin Briggs,	Jan.	19, 1826	68 23	9 41
13,	847	John P. Watrous,	Feb.	7, 1824	61 28	8 00
21,	818	Benjamin Briggs,	Jan.	19, 1826	63 59	63 59
28,	875	Sylvanus Stanford,	Oct.	22, 1827	61 26	61 26
30,	1,458	John P. Watrous,	July	14, 1824	97 28	13 00
<i>Thorne's Survey.</i>						
51,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar.	26, 1829	120 00	30 00
58,	160	do	Mar.	11, 1823	128 00	16 00
64,	160	do	Mar.	26, 1829	80 00	20 00
71,	160	do	Mar.	11, 1823	80 00	10 00
87,	148	do	Mar.	26, 1829	74 30	19 30
110,	160	{ Naomi Brooks (unbounded),	Mar.	11, 1823	.....	16 00
		{ sold to Chapin Flanders,	June	6, 1825	128 00	16 00

RE-SALES OF 1820 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
111,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 26, 1829	\$128 00	\$32 00
116,	160	Chapin Flanders,	Aug. 15, 1825	128 00	14 00
61,		<i>Village of West Oswego.</i>			
63,		Block 54, Abram Varick,	July 17, 1827	425 00	106 00
78,		Block 54, Jaline Clark,	Jan. 24, 1827	127 49	31 49
		Block 33, Asa Dudley,	Mar. 28, 1827	230 75	57 75
19,		<i>East Oswego.</i>			
		Theos. S. Morgan,	Feb. 25, 1823	86 97	12 97
85,	124	<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>			
99,	155	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	24 80	24 80
234,	280	James Crane,	Dec. 3, 1825	39 15	4 90
236,	209	A. K. Morehouse,	Nov. 18, 1835	28 00	28 00
		{ Trumbull (unbounded),	Aug. 25, 1826	.....	5 90
		{ sold to Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	20 90	5 90
25,	135	<i>Palmer's Purchase.</i>			
	160	Joel Dayton,	April 25, 1845	44 10	11 10
		Riley, Wait & Harris,	Mar. 20, 1848	65 58	17 00

Paradox Tract.

102,	165	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Mar.	4, 1828	132 00	33 00
105,	144	do	Mar.	4, 1828	111 79	28 00
351,	145	Mott & Freeman,	Mar.	4, 1828	496 00	496 00
382,	43	Otis Clapp,	Aug.	5, 1824	20 56	2 56
399,	12	do	Aug.	5, 1824	19 21	2 41

Peru Bay Tract.

1,	196	E. W. Clapp,	Aug.	11, 1824	183 19	23 00
3,	208	Thomas Sellew,	Sept.	30, 1825	87 67	10 67
44,	238	James Mellen,	April	11, 1828	220 10	55 10
77,	240	George D. Simpson,	Nov.	13, 1823	237 96	29 96
81,	200	{ Daniel Hayward (unbounded), sold to Thos. A. Tomlinson,	Jan.	16, 1826	.....	12 31
83,	263	Elias French,	June	15, 1836	135 00	34 00
99,	266	Geo. D. Simpson,	April	12, 1823	211 30	22 00
111,	186	Wm. D. Ross,	Aug.	11, 1825	75 03	10 00
116,	225	David Hayward,	May	25, 1824	228 13	28 13
117,	253	David S. Rogers,	Dec.	29, 1823	98 92	12 00
			Jan.	9, 1823	200 04	25 04

South Bay Tract.

139,	104	David Wetherbee,	Feb.	10, 1825	92 96	11 96
148,	140	Oliver Wetherbee, Jr.,	Dec.	17, 1824	89 08	42 00

Tract West of Road Patents.

7,	68	Abijah Smith, Jr.,	April	10, 1826	33 71	5 00
17,	164	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Mar.	1, 1825	115 62	14 62
20,	160	do	Mar.	1, 1825	105 99	13 99
29,	160	do	Mar.	1, 1825	68 17	8 17

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Tract West of Road Patents.</i>			
41,	159	James Wilson,	April 29, 1825	\$66 98	\$8 98
42,	92	John Crary,	June 8, 1825	33 49	4 49
60,	160	Webster & Beekman,	Feb. 7, 1835	64 28	16 28
62,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	61 12	15 12
89,	160	do do	Feb. 7, 1835	61 12	15 12
114,	189	B. Van Benthuyzen,	May 28, 1826	214 27	54 00
129,	160	Abijah Smith, Jr.,	April 10, 1826	87 71	15 00
133,	137	Walcott Tyrrel,	June 13, 1825	108 20	13 20
134,	180	B. Van Benthuyzen,	Mar. 28, 1826	98 42	12 42
		<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, Township 27, South Part.</i>			
9,	66	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	45 00	45 00
11,	68	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	35 00	35 00
		<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, Township 50.</i>			
33,	120	Sacketts Harbor Railway Co.,	July 14, 1856		
55,	160	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	21 00	21 00
67,	160	do	June 15, 1836	21 00	21 00
		<i>Warrensburgh Tract.</i>			
16,	160	Joseph W. Paddock,	Jan. 2, 1828	71 46	18 46

25,	203	Moses Austin,.....	Jan. 11, 1825	277. 51	34 51	No.
		<i>Windham or Greene.</i>				
11, sub 1, ..	154	Daniel Betts,.....	May 20, 1824	316 52	39 52	J
		<i>Military Townships—Brutus.</i>				
1, “ 2, ..	178	James Porter,.....	Mar. 24, 1825	321 85	40 85	
51, “ 4, ..	145	Sardius Dudley,.....	July 10, 1824	283 80	35 80	
55, “ 4, ..	S.E. 100	Watson Gillet,.....	Nov. 9, 1824	288 23	36 23	
		<i>Cicero.</i>				
62, “ 1, ..	109	Wm. Snyder,	Jan. 15, 1840	339 44	84 86	
62, “ 3, ..	123	Heman Powers,	April 26, 1825	461 38	58 38	141
		<i>Cincinnatus.</i>				
99, “ 1, ..	125	James Porter,	Jan. 8, 1823	340 03	43 03	
86, “ 1, ..	136	Isaac Wood,	Mar. 3, 1823	856 70	107 70	
		<i>Lysander.</i>				
81, “ 2, ..	137	Raymond P. Babcock,	Sept. 4, 1823	432 19	54 19	
		<i>Tully.</i>				
20, “ 2, ..	141	Bouton & Frisbie,	Nov. 26, 1823	416 75	52 00	
20, “ 3, ..	136	Starr & Hawley,.....	Nov. 14, 1823	283 63	35 63	
		<i>Virgil.</i>				
.....	6½	John Riley,	Mar. 4, 1828	390 00	150 00	
		<i>Canal Navigation Lot at Rome.</i>				

RE-SALES OF 1822.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.	
Brant Lake Tract.						
9,.....	160	John Folsom,.....	July 23, 1823	\$51 75	\$6 75	
83,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Dec. 4, 1832	100 78	25 78	
84,.....	160	Benjamin T. Wells,.....	June 14, 1831	84 27	21 27	
87,.....	160	{ Thos. Archibald (unbounded),.....	Mar. 21, 1832	.....	25 13
		{ sold to Luther Andrews,.....	Nov. 5, 1846	100 13	25 13	
109,.....		Peter Smith,.....	Aug. 24, 1832	181 60	45 60	
115,.....		do.....	Dec. 8, 1832	113 32	28 32	
124,.....		{ James L. Thurman (unbounded),.....	Nov. 20, 1824	.....	13 62
		{ sold to Peter Smith,.....	June 10, 1833	32 00	8 00	
151,.....		Joseph Russell,.....	June 10, 1833	160 00	40 00	
152,.....		do.....	June 10, 1833	117 90	29 90	
176,.....		Hezekiah Whitlock,.....	April 12, 1824	318 12	40 12	
Village of Black Rock.						
34, N. $\frac{1}{3}$ of, ..		O'Hara & Milton,.....	Dec. 23, 1825	124 24	15 53	
146, N. $\frac{1}{3}$ of, ..		Frazer & Wakefield,.....	May 15, 1823	118 83	15 83	
Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.						
122,.....	160	Harvey Bull,.....	April 11, 1832	106 71	27 00	
131,.....	160	Israel Taylor, Jr.,.....	Nov. 30, 1829	90 10	22 50	
135,.....	160	E. & E. Harmon,.....	Aug. 29, 1825	107 48	13 48	
138,.....	120	Oliver Bissell,.....	Nov. 24, 1831	64 43	16 00	

224,	188	Henry Wood,	June 5, 1827	121 01	80 26
15,	164	<i>French Mountain Tract.</i> David Vaughan,	Dec. 26, 1823	168 85	21 85
77,	320	<i>Greene or Windham.</i> Moses Austin,	May 10, 1824	175 28	22 28
24,	100	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> Simeon Sanford,	Aug. 11, 1823	49 29	6 29
44,	113	Joel Gilson,	Oct. 30, 1824	53 43	7 43
90,	320	Maynard Kidder,	Aug. 12, 1825	43 40	5 40
107,	174	Hiram Everest,	Sept. 8, 1824	40 45	5 45
40,	365	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Reuben Sanford,	May 2, 1825	72 88	9 88
103,	107	Stephen Partridge,	April 28, 1842	67 35	16 84
108,	305	Wm. James,	April 9, 1828	190 07	190 07
125,	324	Miles Neal,	Jan. 26, 1825	50 54	7 00
132,	61	David Peck,	Feb. 6, 1824	22 49	3 06
208, 209, 210, 223, 224, 225, 220, 221, 222, 306,	176	<i>Village of Lewiston.</i> T. S. Morgan,	Feb. 13, 1834	55 00	13 75
		in block T., Benjamin Barton,	Feb. 13, 1834	180 00	45 00
		Peter Smith,	Feb. 13, 1834	50 00	12 50
14,	158	<i>Luzerne Tract.</i> Palmer & Ames,	Nov. 27, 1827	98 90	24 90

RE-SALES OF 1822—*Luzerne Tract*—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	124	Ebenezer Hammond,	Feb. 1, 1823	\$150 88	\$19 83
9,	179	<i>Lake George Tract.</i>			
14,	91	Luther Andrews,	Sept. 3, 1830	41 77	11 00
		Job Beadleston,	Jan. 25, 1823	34 05	34 05
7, sub. 1, . .	125	<i>Military Townships—Brutus.</i>			
		Wm. Hedger,	May 27, 1824	274 37	134 37
8,	100, S.E.c	<i>Cato.</i>			144
		Jacob Mesick,	Feb. 9, 1824	758 76	94 76
5, sub. 2, . .	147	<i>Cicero.</i>			
		Hori Fancher,	Mar. 4, 1823	107 71	14 71
14, do 1, . .	163	<i>Hannibal.</i>			
		James Burt,	Sept. 19, 1827	1,054 06	300 00
49, do 1, . .	158	<i>Locke.</i>			
		Joseph Howland,	Dec. 22, 1824	573 91	71 91
		<i>Tinsander.</i>			

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20, sub. 4,...	123	<i>Abrams & Young</i> ,.....	Oct.	24, 1823	178 59	22 59
84,	76, rem.	Elnathan Jones,	Oct.	14, 1831	110 00	110 00
85,	76	Stephen R. Hunter,	July	29, 1840	245 00	61 25
16,	64	<i>N. W. part of Oneida Reservation.</i>	July	20, 1824	113 83	113 83
98,	154	Peter Smith,	Feb.	28, 1826	354 71	44 00
58,	162	<i>Niaqara Tract.</i>	Dec.	14, 1830	1,053 00	263 25
60,	192	Ebenezer Johnson,	Dec.	14, 1830	1,008 00	252 00
29,	91	<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>	Oct.	12, 1831	153 08	38 08
91,	160	Thomas M. Wright,	Sept.	28, 1832	103 05	25 05
121,	109	Alexander Ferguson,	Dec.	31, 1833	4 36	4 36
2,	160	<i>State Lot, North of Palmer's Purchase.</i>	June	15, 1836	40 00	40 00
60,	102	Thomas & Elias Patterson,	June	15, 1836	25 50	25 50
131, part of, ..	93 $\frac{3}{4}$	<i>Late Oneida Reservation.</i>	Nov.	4, 1824	237 44	30 44
159,	250	Moses B. Lawrence,	Dec.	22, 1828	656 86	165 00
225,	175	Sands Higginbotham,	Nov.	9, 1825	1,892 85	236 85
.....	95	<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>	Feb.	19, 1823	479 10	60 10

Virgil.

RE-SALES OF 1822 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>			
3,	219	Richard Van Rensselaer,	Sept. 18, 1835	\$43 80	\$43 80
52,	155	Cornelius Strobeck,	Dec. 5, 1826	15 50	4 00
62,	155	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	77 50	19 50
65,	155	Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	77 50	19 50
100,	155	James A. Buys,	Sept. 14, 1826	31 00	8 00
280,	608	Andrew K. Morehouse,	Nov. 18, 1835	60 80	60 80
281,	500	do	Nov. 18, 1835	50 00	50 00
		<i>Old Military Tract—Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i>			
24,	55, resid.	Wilson Flag,	May 21, 1828	69 48	17 37
62,	175	Graves & Marsh,	Mar. 3, 1823	126 47	16 47
		<i>Richards' Survey.</i>			
11,	201	Elisha Hall,	Jan. 25, 1823	91 06	11 06
40,	193	Wm. Edmunds,	July 10, 1823	126 11	15 76
41,	182	Milton Sherburne,	Aug. 25, 1824	113 26	14 26
76,	150	Estes & Walker,	Sept. 6, 1824	103 13	14 13
82,	207	Imla Hartwell,	Aug. 17, 1825	168 90	21 90
83,	287	Harvey Holt,	Oct. 1, 1830	210 89	52 92
90,	1,512	J. & A. Hull,	April 27, 1826	124 78	31 00

380,	189	<i>Paradox Tract.</i>	Otis Clapp,	Aug. 5, 1824	229 56	28 56
162,	160	<i>South Bay Tract.</i>	John S. Van Rensselaer,	Dec. 20, 1824	101 84	12 84
9,	188	<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>	Joseph Jacobs,	Oct. 21, 1825	103 72	12 72
12,	369		Stephen Pratt,	Oct. 19, 1831	147 66	36 66
14,	450		W. & M. Peffers,	April 16, 1823	82 76	10 35
17,	42		Wm. B. Harris,	June 4, 1823	29 37	3 67
28,	150		Luther Dalrymple,	May 12, 1827	94 44	23 44
107,	140	<i>Township of Chemung—Unpatented Lots.</i>	Solomon L. Smith,	Jan. 3, 1839	280 00	70 00
108,	102		Abram Gurnie,	Sept. 9, 1837	261 00	261 00
108,	45		Abram McHenry,	April 16, 1839	136 41	34 50
116,	430		Norman S. Crofut,	Dec. 20, 1845	817 00	205 00
131, sub 1, ..	149		Hovey Everett,	April 14, 1838	269 24	84 93
131, " 2, ..	95		Phineas Blodgett,	Jan. 3, 1839	215 56	53 89
131, " 3, ..	45		Hovey Everett,	April 14, 1838	112 50	112 50
131, " 4, ..	25		Thomas Mulford,	Jan. 3, 1839	62 50	16 83

TOWNSHIP OF BENSON.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17,	Sept. 19, 1842	\$16 00	\$4 00
20,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
21,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
22,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
23,	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
24,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
25,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
26,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
27,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
28,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
29,	Nov. 28, 1833	16 00	4 00
30,	Nov. 28, 1833	21 40	5 40
31,	Nov. 28, 1833	24 40	6 40
32,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
33,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	
34,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
35,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
36,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
37,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
38,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
39,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
40,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
41,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00

42,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	3, 1835	64 00	04 00
43,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	3, 1835	80 00	80 00
44,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	3, 1835	80 00	80 00
61,	160	Thomas Eglin,	.....	Jan.	26, 1826	119 00	15 00
63,	119	J. S. Beekman,	.....	Sept.	12, 1835	35 00	35 00
68,	160	A. K. Morehouse,	.....	Sept.	19, 1842	16 00	4 00
77,	160	S. & J. C. Finch,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
81,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
82,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
83,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
84,	160	Peter Smith,	.....	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
85,	160	do	.....	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
86,	160	S. & J. C. Finch,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
87,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
88,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
89,	192	James C. Finch,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	38 40	9 40
90,	106	Johnson & Favel,	.....	Nov.	30, 1826	21 20	5 30
96,	160	John Cramer,	.....	Feb.	28, 1835	32 00	12 00
98,	160	James C. Finch,	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	32 00	8 00
99,	160	do	.....	Nov.	28, 1833	64 00	16 00
100,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	.....	Nov.	3, 1835	64 00	64 00
102,	160	A. K. Morehouse,	.....	Sept.	19, 1842	16 00	4 00
103,	160	do	.....	Sept.	19, 1842	16 00	4 00
107,	160	Henry Ward,	.....	Jan.	26, 1826	64 00	8 00
112,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	.....	Nov.	27, 1833	16 00	4 00
115,	160	Gardner Blood,	.....	Feb.	5, 1829	32 00	8 00
117,	184	Michael Gray,	.....	Dec.	10, 1832	184 00	46 00
121,	160	Hunter & Anable,	.....	April	7, 1830	16 00	16 00
122,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	.....	Nov.	27, 1833	16 00	4 00
125,	160	Daniel Cady,	.....	Mar.	18, 1826	64 00	15 00

TOWNSHIP OF BENSON—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
126,	160	Crawford C. Smith,	Sept. 12, 1835	\$64 00	\$64 00
128,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
132,	160	A. K. Morehouse,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
133,	160	Henry Cramer,	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	10 00
134,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	10 00
135,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	10 00
136,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	32 00	8 00
137,	160	John S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
138,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
139,	160	S. & J. C. Finch,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
140,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
141,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
143,	178	do	Oct. 22, 1835	35 60	35 60
144,	92	do	Sept. 12, 1835	18 40	18 40
145,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
146,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
147,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
148,	160	S. & J. C. Finch,	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
149,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Nov. 28, 1833	32 00	8 00
150,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
151,	160	Edwin A. Jacobs,	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
152,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Dec. 20, 1833	32 00	8 00
153,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
			Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00

155,	J. S. Beekman,	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
156,	do	Sept.	12, 1835	32 00	32 00
157,	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov.	3, 1835	64 00	64 00
159,	J. S. Beekman,	Sept.	12, 1835	32 00	32 00
165,	Webster & Beekman,	May	9, 1835	16 00	4 00
166,	Peter Smith,	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
168,	Amasa Hodges,	Nov.	14, 1827	80 00	20 00
169,	Timothy Dillon,	Jan.	27, 1827	77 00	20 00
170,	David Coope,	Oct.	18, 1834	110 00	28 00
171,	Samuel Anable,	Jan.	25, 1826	80 00	10 00
172,	Webster & Beekman,	May	9, 1835	32 00	8 00
173,	do	May	9, 1835	32 00	8 00
174,	Peter Smith,	Oct.	30, 1833	32 00	8 00
175,	A. K. Morehouse,	Sept.	19, 1842	16 00	4 00
176,	do	Sept.	19, 1842	16 00	4 00
177,	Epenetus Lewis,	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
178,	J. S. Beekman,	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
182,	do	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
183,	Peter Smith,	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
184,	do	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
185,	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov.	27, 1833	16 00	4 00
186,	do	Nov.	27, 1833	16 00	4 00
187,	do	Nov.	27, 1833	16 00	4 00
188,	David Coope,	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
189,	J. S. Beekman,	Sept.	12, 1835	32 00	32 00
190,	do	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
191,	do	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
192,	do	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
193,	do	Sept.	12, 1835	35 20	35 20

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
194,	262	J. S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	\$52 40	\$52 40
195,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
196,	160	David Coope,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
197,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
198,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
199,	160	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
200,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Dec. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
201,	160	do	Dec. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
202,	160	do	Dec. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
203,	160	do	Dec. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
204,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
208,	160	Clark Jacobs,	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
209,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
210,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
212,	160	A. K. Morehouse,	Sept. 19, 1842	16 00	4 00
216,	120	Peter Smith,	Mar. 13, 1833	24 00	6 00
218,	160	do	Oct. 30, 1833	32 00	8 00
219,	160	do	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
220,	160	do	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
221,	160	do	Oct. 30, 1833	32 00	8 00
222,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
223,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
224,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00

225,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
228,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	22, 1835	16 00	16 00
229,	.....	do	.....	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
230,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	22, 1835	16 00	16 00
231,	.....	David Coope,	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
232,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
233,	.....	Edwin A. Jacobs,	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
234,	.....	David Coope,	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
235,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
236,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
237,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
238,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	17 20	4 20
239,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	23 40	6 40
240,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
241,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
242,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
243,	.....	Edwin A. Jacobs,	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
244,	.....	David Coope,	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
245,	.....	do	.....	Dec.	20, 1833	16 00	4 00
246,	.....	J. S. Beekman,	.....	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
247,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	22, 1835	16 00	16 00
248,	.....	do	.....	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
251,	.....	Benjamin W. Payne,	.....	Sept.	12, 1835	16 00	16 00
252,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
253,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	30, 1833	16 00	4 00
254,	.....	J. S. Beekman,	.....	Oct.	22, 1835	32 00	32 00
255,	Webster & Beekman,	May	9, 1835	32 00	8 00
257,	Peter Smith,	Oct.	30, 1833	32 00	8 00
259,	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov.	27, 1833	32 00	8 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
260,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov. 27, 1833	\$32 00	\$8 00
261,	160	do	Nov. 27, 1833	32 00	8 00
264,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
265,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
266,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	32 00	32 00
267,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	34 00
269,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
270,	160	do	Oct. 16, 1835	16 00	16 00
271,	160	do	Sept. 12, 1835	16 00	16 00
272,	160	David Coope,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
273,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
274,	160	Edwin A. Jacobs,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
275,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov. 3, 1835	64 00	64 00
276,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
277,	160	do	Oct. 22, 1835	32 00	32 00
278,	146	do	Sept. 12, 1835	29 20	29 20
279,	218	David Coope,	Dec. 20, 1833	21 80	5 80
280,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
281,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
282,	160	Edwin A. Jacobs,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
283,	160	David Coope,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
284,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
285,	160	do	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00

TOWNSHIP OF BENSON — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
325,	160	J. S. Beekman,	Oct. 22, 1835	\$16 00	\$16 00
326,	160	Samuel Finch,	Nov. 25, 1833	32 00	8 00
329,	160	do	Nov. 25, 1833	16 00	4 00
340,	160	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
341,	160	do	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
342,	160	Webster & Beekman,	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
343,	160	Edwin A. Jacobs,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
344,	160	David Coope,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
345,	122	do	Dec. 20, 1833	12 20	3 20
346,	197	J. S. Beekman,	Sept. 12, 1835	39 40	39 40
347,	160	Edwin A. Jacobs,	Dec. 20, 1833	16 00	4 00
348,	160	Webster & Beekman,	May 9, 1835	32 00	8 00
349,	160	Samuel Finch,	Nov. 25, 1833	16 00	4 00
350,	160	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	16 00	4 00
352,	160	Samuel Finch,	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
353,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
354,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
355,	160	S. & J. S. Finch,	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	16 00
360,	164	Webster & Beekman,	Sept. 26, 1833	16 40	4 40
361,	160	do	May 9, 1835	16 00	4 00
362,	160	J. J. Wiley,	May 9, 1835	16 00	4 00
364,	160	Stephen Perkins,	Sept. 4, 1826	16 00	4 00
365,	160	do	Sept. 4, 1826	16 00	4 00
			Nov. 16, 1826	16 00	3 94

366,	160	George J. Loomis,	July 15, 1826	16 00	16 00
369,	160	Samuel Finch,	Nov. 25, 1833	16 00	4 00
370,	160	do	Nov. 25, 1833	32 00	8 00
373,	182	do	Nov. 25, 1833	18 20	4 20
375,	160	Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	32 00	8 00
376,	176	Samuel Finch,	Sept. 26, 1833	32 00	8 00
377,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
378,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
379,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
380,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
381,	160	do	Sept. 26, 1833	16 00	4 00
382,	154	J. S. & J. Finch,	Sept. 26, 1833	15 40	15 40

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Township No. 10.</i>			
1,	200	Thomas Peck,	July 25, 1827	\$100 00	\$25 00
2,	200	Luman French,	Dec. 24, 1829	100 00	25 00
3,	200	James & George Dexter,	May 25, 1829	100 00	25 00
4,	200	Peter Smith,	Mar. 6, 1833	100 00	25 00
5,	200	Stephen Rumsey,	July 9, 1830	80 00	20 00
6,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	80 00	20 00
8,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	60 00	15 00
10,	200	Mickler & Yon,	Nov. 21, 1825	100 00	13 00
11,	200	Charles B. Yon,	Jan. 6, 1826	100 00	13 00
12,	200	Andrew Barker,	Nov. 10, 1829	200 00	50 00
13,	200	Benjamin Dwinelle,	Oct. 9, 1830	100 00	25 00
14,	200	Isaac Finch,	Nov. 23, 1829	100 00	25 00
15,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	24 00	6 00
16,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	66 00	17 00
17,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	40 00	10 00
18,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	70 00	18 00
19,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	80 00	20 00
20,	200	do	Mar. 8, 1832	100 00	25 00
21,	200	do	Mar. 8, 1832	100 00	25 00
22,	200	do	Mar. 8, 1832	100 00	25 80
23,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	100 00	25 00
24,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	54 00	14 00

25	do	Nov.	6, 1832	90 00	28 00
26	do	Nov.	6, 1832	70 00	18 00
27	do	Nov.	6, 1832	80 00	20 00
28	Jonathan Wetherbee,	Oct.	22, 1830	200 00	50 00
29	Martin Pope,	Feb.	21, 1828	60 00	15 00
30	Isaac Finch,	Feb.	19, 1828	60 00	15 00
31	do	Nov.	8, 1827	40 00	10 00
34	Isaac Williams,	April	7, 1828	60 00	15 00
35	do	April	7, 1828	60 00	15 00
36	Horace Marble,	Oct.	24, 1828	60 00	15 00
37	Nicholas Lighthall,	Nov.	23, 1825	80 00	10 00
38	Wm. McDonald,	Feb.	28, 1826	60 00	7 50
39	Peter Smith,	Mar.	8, 1832	50 00	13 00
40	do	Mar.	8, 1832	80 00	20 00
41	Isaac B. Bucklin,	April	12, 1826	80 00	10 00
42	do	April	12, 1826	80 00	10 00
43	Samuel Dodge,	July	5, 1827	80 00	20 00
44	Pliny Miller,	Mar.	4, 1828	100 00	25 00
45	Peter Smith,	Mar.	8, 1832	150 00	38 00
49	Joseph Stickney,	Nov.	25, 1829	120 00	30 00
50	Peter Smith,	Nov.	25, 1832	60 00	15 00
51	do		1832	60 00	15 00
52	John Littlejohn,	May	24, 1831	200 00	50 00
53	Wm. Fox,	Feb.	19, 1828	80 00	20 00
54	Joshua Finch,	Feb.	19, 1828	80 00	20 00
55	Isaac Finch,	Sept.	6, 1830	200 00	50 00
56	Peter Smith,	Nov.	6, 1832	50 00	13 00
57	do	Nov.	6, 1832	90 00	23 00
58	Isaac Finch,	Sept.	6, 1830	160 00	40 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
59,	200	John McDowell,	Nov. 12, 1830	\$100 00	\$25 00
60,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	50 00	13 00
61,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	46 40	11 40
62,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	44 08	11 08
63,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	46 40	11 40
64,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	58 00	15 00
65,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	69 60	17 60
66,	232	Isaac Finch,	Sept. 6, 1830	232 00	58 00
67,	232	Peter Smith,	Mar. 8, 1832	232 00	58 00
68,	232	Jonathan Stickney,	July 11, 1827	69 60	17 60
69,	232	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	146 16	37 16
70,	232	do	Nov. 4, 1833	37 12	9 12
71,	232	do	Nov. 4, 1833	34 80	8 80
72,	232	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 48	8 48
73,	232	do	Nov. 6, 1832	41 76	10 76
74,	232	do	Nov. 4, 1833	41 76	10 76
75,	232	John Jaquez,	Oct. 7, 1825	92 80	11 80
76,	232	Horace Gould,	Oct. 7, 1825	116 00	15 00
77,	232	Peter Jourdin,	May 4, 1826	116 00	29 00
78,	232	Stukely Arnold,	June, 1827	116 00	29 00
79,	200	Peter Smith,	Mar. 8, 1832	100 00	29 00
80,	200	John Huff,	Dec. 24, 1827	100 00	25 00
81,	200	Henry Wood,	June 5, 1827	116 00	29 00

82,	200	W m. McClenethan, Jr.,	Aug.	2,	1824	150 00	18 75
83,	168	W m. Finch,	Nov.	23,	1825	100 80	13 00
85,	168	Jacob Harmon,	May	26,	1830	100 80	26 00
86,	168	Peter Smith,	Nov.	4,	1833	25 20	6 20
87,	168	do	Nov.	4,	1833	20 16	5 16
88,	168	do	Nov.	4,	1833	25 20	6 20
89,	168	do	Nov.	4,	1833	30 24	8 24
90,	168	do	Nov.	6,	1832	36 96	9 96
91,	168	Isaac Buswell,	Sept.	6,	1827	50 40	12 60
92,	168	Peter Smith,	Nov.	4,	1833	67 20	17 20
93,	168	Hiram J. Noble,	June	10,	1830	134 40	37 00
94,	168	Peter Smith,	May	8,	1832	134 40	33 40
95,	168	do	Nov.	6,	1832	40 32	10 32
96,	168	do	Nov.	7,	1832	28 56	7 56
97,	168	do	Nov.	4,	1833	33 60	8 60
98,	168	do	Nov.	6,	1832	30 24	8 24
99,	168	do	Nov.	6,	1832	42 00	11 00
100,	168	do	Nov.	6,	1832	58 80	14 80
101,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	48 00	12 00
102,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	60 00	15 00
103,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	36 00	9 00
104,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	36 00	9 00
105,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	34 00	9 00
106,	200	do	Nov.	6,	1832	44 00	11 00
107,	200	David Stickney,	July	11,	1827	80 00	20 00
108,	200	do	July	11,	1827	80 00	20 00
109,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov.	6,	1832	34 00	9 00
110,	200	do	Nov.	4,	1833	30 00	8 00
111,	200	Ward & Pray,	Aug.	24,	1827	60 00	20 00

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Lot.		Acres.	Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
112,		200	Aug. 24, 1827		\$100 00	\$25 00
113,		200	Nov. 6, 1832		70 00	18 00
114,		200	Nov. 6, 1832		38 00	10 00
115,		200	Nov. 6, 1832		40 00	10 00
116,		200	April 20, 1830		60 00	15 00
117,		200	Feb. 17, 1826		120 00	15 00
118,		200	Jan. 11, 1828		80 00	20 00
119,		200	Mar. 1, 1828			
120,		200	Mar. 1, 1828			
121,		200	Jan. 13, 1830		60 00	15 00
122,		200	Nov. 23, 1830		120 00	30 00
123,		200	Oct. 7, 1825		140 00	18 00
124,		200	Oct. 7, 1825		140 00	18 00
125,		200	Nov. 4, 1833		30 00	8 00
126,		200	Nov. 4, 1832		36 00	9 00
127,		200	Nov. 4, 1833		50 00	13 00
128,		200	Nov. 6, 1832		110 00	28 00
129,		200				
130,		200	Aug. 24, 1827		60 00	15 00
131,		200	Aug. 24, 1827		80 00	20 00
132,		200	Nov. 6, 1832		42 00	11 00
133,		200	Oct. 10, 1827		160 00	40 00
134,		200	Oct. 10, 1827		140 00	35 00

135,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	200 00	50 00
136,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	200 00	50 00
137,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	44 00	11 00
138,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	54 00	14 00
139,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	38 00	10 00
140,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
141,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	44 00	11 00
142,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
143,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	56 00	14 00
144,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	70 00	18 00
145,	.....	Dyer Merrill,	.....	Oct.	29, 1830	200 00	50 00
148,	.....	Benjamin P. Lamson,	.....	Mar.	4, 1828	120 00	30 00
149,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	4, 1828	160 00	40 00
150,	.....	James A. McLeod,	.....	Dec.	7, 1831	160 00	40 00
151,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	30 00	8 00
152,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	10 00
153,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	64 00	16 00
154,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	60 00	15 00
155,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
156,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	34 00	9 00
157,	.....	Jas. & Geo. Dexter,	.....	Mar.	25, 1829	160 00	40 00
158,	.....	Levi Arnold,	.....	Nov.	19, 1825	120 00	15 00
159,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	100 00	25 00
160,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	80 00	20 00
161,	.....	John S. Foster,	.....	May	5, 1831	40 00	40 00
162,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
163,	do	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
164,	do	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
165,	do	Nov.	4, 1833	30 00	8 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
166,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov.	4, 1833	\$50 00	\$13 00
167,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	50 00	13 00
168,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	30 00	8 00
169,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	36 00	9 00
170,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
171,	200	do	Nov.	4, 1833	12 00	3 00
172,	200	Elisha Gove,	Sept.	29, 1831	200 00	50 00
173,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov.	6, 1832	44 00	11 00
174,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	60 00	15 00
175,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	50 00	13 00
176,	200	Walter Sheldon,	May	8, 1828	.....	40 00
177,	200	Forbes, Fartlett & Bartell,	Feb.	22, 1830	200 00	50 00
178,	200	Caleb A. Loverin,	Mar.	28, 1830	200 00	50 00
179,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov.	6, 1832	48 00	12 00
180,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
181,	200	Joseph Call,	Nov.	17, 1831	200 00	50 00
182,	200	W. H. C. Loverin,	June	17, 1830	200 00	50 00
183,	200	Wm. Finch,	Nov.	23, 1829	200 00	50 00
184,	200	Forbes & West,	Aug.	25, 1830	200 00	50 00
185,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov.	6, 1832	50 00	13 00
186,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	42 00	11 00
187,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	72 00	18 00
188,	200	do	Nov.	6, 1832	44 00	11 00

189,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	50 00	18 00
190,	.....	John C. Van Schoonmaker,	.....	April 18,	1851	40 00	40 00
191,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	42 00	11 00
192,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	50 00	13 00
193,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
194,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
195,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	48 00	12 00
196,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	56 00	14 00
197,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
198,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	18 00	5 00
199,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
200,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
201,	.....	Jonathan Roberts,	.....	Oct. 7,	1829	20 00	5 00
202,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
203,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	38 00	10 00
204,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	48 00	12 00
205,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	42 00	11 00
206,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	50 00	13 00
207,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
208,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
209,	.....	do	.....	May 20,	1835	40 00	40 00
210,	.....	do	.....	May 20,	1835	40 00	40 00
211,	.....	do	.....	May 20,	1835	40 00	40 00
212,	.....	do	.....	Nov. 6,	1832	56 00	14 00
213,	.....	do	.....	Nov. 6,	1832	40 00	10 00
214,	.....	do	.....	Nov. 4,	1833	60 00	15 00
215,	do	Nov. 4,	1833	42 00	11 00
216,	do	Nov. 6,	1832	48 00	12 00
217,	do	Nov. 6,	1832	42 00	11 00

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[CONVENTION]

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
218,	200	Joseph Call,	Dec. 23, 1831	\$180 00	3 45 00
219,	200	do	Dec. 23, 1831	70 00	17 50
220,	200	Stillman Wilson,	Oct. 1, 1830	40 00	15 00
221,	200	Joseph Call,	Dec. 23, 1831	160 00	40 00
222,	200	do	Dec. 23, 1831	160 00	40 00
223,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	42 00	6 00
224,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	38 00	10 00
225,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	40 00	10 00
226,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
227,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	36 00	9 00
228,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	38 00	10 00
229,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	30 00	8 00
230,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	36 00	9 00
231,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
232,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	56 00	14 00
233,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	44 00	11 00
234,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	38 00	10 00
235,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	16 00	8 00
236,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	34 00	9 00
237,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	44 00	11 00
238,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	36 00	9 00
239,	200	do	May 20, 1835	60 00	60 00
240,	200	do	May 20, 1835	60 00	60 00

241,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	80 00	20 00
242,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
243,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
244,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	28 00	7 00
245,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	32 00	8 00
246,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
247,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
248,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	38 00	10 00
249,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	46 00	12 00
250,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	28 00	7 00
251,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	22 00	6 00
252,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	26 00	7 00
253,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	30 00	8 00
254,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	26 00	7 00
255,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00
256,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	36 00	9 00
257,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	10 00
258,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	28 00	7 00
259,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	32 00	8 00
260,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
261,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	14 00	4 00
262,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	36 00	9 00
263,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
264,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	44 00	11 00
265,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 00	7 00
266,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
267,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
268,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
269,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00

Old Military Tract—Township No. 10—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
270,	200	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	\$40 00	\$40 00
271,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
272,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 00	7 00
273,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
274,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 00	7 00
275,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	44 00	11 00
276,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	34 00	9 00
277,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	24 00	6 00
278,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
279,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
280,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
281,	200	John S. Foster,	Oct. 1, 1829	60 00	14 90
282,	200	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
283,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
284,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
285,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
286,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
287,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	20 00	5 00
288,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
289,	200	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
290,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	26 00	7 00
291,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	20 00	5 00
292,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00

293,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
294,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	52 00	13 00
295,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
296,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	37 00	9 00
297,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	72 00	18 00
298,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	40 00	10 00
299,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	30 00	8 00
300,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	12 00	3 00
301,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	12 00	3 00
302,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	12 00	3 00
303,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
304,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 00	7 00
305,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
306,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
307,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
308,	.....	200	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00
309,	.....	200	do	.....	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
310,	.....	200	do	.....	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
311,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	16 00
312,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
313,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
314,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
315,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
316,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
317,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
318,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
319,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
320,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 00	5 00
321,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	7, 1828	40 00	10 00
	.....	200	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00
	.....		Wm. Wells,	.....			
	.....		Peter Smith,	.....			

OLD MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 10—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.	Date of sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
322,	200	May	20, 1835	\$40 00	\$40 00
323,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
324,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	22 00	6 00
325,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	22 00	6 00
326,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	22 00	6 00
327,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	24 00	6 00
328,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	32 00	8 00
329,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	30 00	8 00
330,	200	Nov.	6, 1832	26 00	7 00
331,	200	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00
332,	200	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
333,	200	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
334,	200	May	20, 1835	60 00	60 00
335,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
336,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
337,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	22 00	6 00
338,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	16 00	4 00
339,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	14 00	4 00
340,	200	Nov.	4, 1833	12 00	3 00
341,	240	Nov.	4, 1833	14 40	4 40
342,	240	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
343,	240	Nov.	4, 1833	36 00	9 00
344,	240	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00

345,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
346,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
347,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	19 20	5 20
348,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	36 00	9 00
349,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	48 00	48 00
350,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	72 00	18 00
351,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
352,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
353,	.....	240	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 80	7 80
354,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
355,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	48 00	48 00
356,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	48 00	48 00
357,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	72 00	18 00
358,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	72 00	18 00
359,	.....	240	do	.....	May	20, 1835	96 00	24 00
360,	.....	240	W m. Wells,	.....	July	12, 1827	48 00	12 00

ROARING BROOK TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	117	Sampson Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	\$59.00	\$8 00
2,	243	Daniel Ross,	Dec. 7, 1825	97 28	12 00
3,	345	do	Jan. 4, 1826	86 40	11 00
4,	256	Wm. D. Ross,	June 22, 1826	102 40	25 40
5,	256	do	June 22, 1826	51 20	12 20
6,	256	Noble & Williams,	Oct. 19, 1835	76 80	19 00
7,	256	do	Oct. 19, 1835	51 20	51 20
8,	256	do	Oct. 19, 1835	102 40	25 40
9,	256	do	Oct. 19, 1835	102 40	25 40
10,	235	Ed. F. Williams,	June 15, 1836	55 00	55 00
11,	240	do	June 15, 1836	102 00	25 00
12,	240	do	June 15, 1836	102 00	25 00
13,	240	do	June 15, 1836	52 00	52 00
14,	240	do	June 15, 1836	70 00	17 00
15,	240	do	June 15, 1836	68 00	17 00
16,	240	Wm. D. Ross,	June 22, 1826	33 60	8 60
17,	240	do	June 22, 1826	48 12	12 00
18,	324	Daniel Ross,	Jan. 16, 1826	81 00	10 00
19,	240	do	Dec. 28, 1825	96 00	12 00
20,	310	Bishop & Denning,	May 4, 1825	124 28	16 56
21,	225	Sampson Smith,	Mar. 11, 1823	91 00	12 00
22,	102	Fred'k Hawes,	Mar. 11, 1823	51 10	16 00
23,	348	Asa Post,	July 11, 1823	174 05	22 05

24,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	12, 1825	87 82	11 00
25,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	71 00	18 00
26,	.....	A. Lamoreaux,	.....	June	15, 1836	87 00	22 00
27,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	34 00	34 00
28,	.....	John J. Degraw,	.....	June	15, 1836	39 00	39 00
29,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	45 00	45 00
30,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	46 00	46 00
31,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	37 00	37 00
32,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	40 00	40 00
33,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	57 00	57 00
34,	.....	Luke Jones,	.....	Apr.	16, 1830	67 38	17 00
35,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	75 00	19 00
36,	.....	Halsted & Myrick,	.....	June	15, 1836	84 00	21 00
37,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	64 00	14 00
38,	.....	L. N. & W. R. Morris,	.....	June	16, 1836	57 00	57 00
39,	.....	J. J. Degraw,	.....	June	15, 1836	36 00	36 00
40,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	39 00	39 00
41,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	34 00	34 00
42,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	60 00	60 00
43,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	86 00	21 00
44,	.....	W. R. & L. N. Morris,	.....	June	16, 1836	114 00	28 00
45,	.....	B. Myrick,	.....	June	15, 1836	160 00	40 00
46,	.....	S. Catlin,	.....	Nov.	21, 1835	114 50	28 50
47,	.....	W. & L. N. Morris,	.....	June	16, 1836	156 00	39 00
48,	.....	do	.....	June	16, 1836	65 00	15 00
49,	.....	do	.....	June	16, 1836	76 00	19 00
50,	.....	Robert Crane,	.....	Aug.	27, 1839	62 40	12 40
51,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	27, 1839	}	}
52,	.....	W. R. & L. N. Morris,	.....	June	16, 1836	54 00	54 00

ROARING BROOK TRACT—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
53,	260	James Strong,	Aug. 12, 1825	\$65 00	\$8 00
54,	261	W. R. & L. N. Morris,	June 16, 1836	105 00	26 00
55,	265	do do	June 16, 1836	133 00	33 00
56,	260	James Strong,	Aug. 12, 1825	52 00	6 00
57,	260	L. N. & W. R. Morris,	June 16, 1836	71 00	17 00
58,	260	do do	June 16, 1836	65 00	15 00
59,	260	do do	June 16, 1836	71 00	17 00
60,	260	J. J. Boyd,	June 15, 1836	29 00	29 00
61,	260	do	June 15, 1836	38 00	38 00
62,	260	Halsted & Myrick,	June 15, 1836	49 00	49 00
63,	204	Stephen Catlin,	Nov. 21, 1835	51 17	51 17
64,	256	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
65,	256	do	June 15, 1836	64 00	64 00
66,	256	L. N. & W. R. Morris,	June 16, 1836	52 00	52 00
67,	256	do do	June 16, 1836	52 00	52 00
68,	424	J. S. Feltus,	June 15, 1836	88 00	22 00
69,	355	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	148 00	37 00
70,	315	Baxter & Ward,	May 31, 1824	126 00	15 75
73,	123	Fred'k Hawes,	Nov. 26, 1823	55 44	7 00
74,	104	Wm. D. Ross,	June 9, 1824	36 40	4 55
77,	138	James Abell,	July 16, 1824	27 62	4 00
78,	278	Noble & Williams,	Nov. 6, 1835	69 60	17 60
79,	281	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	118 00	28 00

80,.....	167	do	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
81,.....	194	L. N. & W. R. Morris,	June 16, 1836	50 00	50 00
82,.....	194	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	52 00	52 00
83,.....	271	Daniel Ross,	Nov. 25, 1825	54 26	6 50
84,.....	49	Alvy Holt,	Sept. 6, 1824	19 84	2 84
85,.....	240	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	97 00	24 00
86,.....	200	Basil Bishop,	June 3, 1825	80 24	10 00
<i>Gore between Roaring Brook Tract & Township 1 of the Old Military Tract, Thorne's Survey.</i>					
	36	Preston S. Whitcomb,	Mar. 14, 1849	36 00	9 00
	72	Asa H. Post,	Mar. 14, 1849	72 00	18 00

MINISINK PATENT—Confiscated Land.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
12, 1st divi'n, sub. 6 of,.	82	Isaac Reed,	Feb. 10, 1843	\$101 50	\$101 50
1, .....	.....	<i>State Lots in the City of Albany.</i>			
2, .....	.....	Elisha Mack,	Nov. 5, 1844	1,000 00	250 00
3, .....	.....	Jellis Winne, Jr.,	May 1, 1846	860 00	215 00
4, .....	.....	James F. Whitney,	May 17, 1845	920 00	230 00
5, .....	.....	do	April 2, 1844	400 00	100 00
6, .....	.....	do	June 1, 1844	880 00	220 00
7, .....	.....	do	April 2, 1844	400 00	100 00
8, .....	.....	George W. Welsh,	May 1, 1845	840 00	210 00
9, .....	.....	James F. Whitney,	April 2, 1844	400 00	100 00
10, .....	.....	George W. Welsh,	May 1, 1845	800 00	200 00
11, .....	.....	do	April 11, 1844	400 00	100 00
12, .....	.....	do	May 1, 1845	800 00	200 00
		J. F. Whitney,	May 11, 1844	400 00	100 00
16,	160	<i>Moose River Tract—Township No. 1.</i>			
29,	160	Homer R. Phelps,	Dec. 29, 1843	20 00	20 00
		do	Dec. 29, 1843	20 00	20 00
		The balance of this whole township, containing 27,774 acres, embrac'g lots No. 1 to 172 incl'e except Nos. 16 & 29, above mentioned, sold to Henry Wager,	Oct. 17, 1849	3,610 62	910 62

Moose River Tract—Township No. 2.

Whole township, embracing lots 1 to 144, and containing 23,161 acres.

Sold per resolution of Land Office Commissioners to Henry Wager,.....

579 00

2,316 10

Oct. 17, 1849

*Moose River Tract—Township No. 3.**

- 1, 176
- 2, 168
- 3, 168
- 4, 168
- 12, 168
- 13, 160
- 14, 160
- 15, 160
- 16, 160
- 23, 168
- 24, 160
- 25, 160
- 26, 160
- 27, 160
- 34, 168
- 35, 160
- 36, 160
- 37, 160
- 38, 160
- 45, 168
- 46, 160

* Granted to the Sacketts Harbor Railroad Company, per act, chap. 122, Laws of 1835, and by resolution of the Com'rs of the L. O., Aug. 15 and Sept. 27, 1855.

Moose River Tract—Township No. 3—(Continued).*

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
47,	160			
48,	160			
49,	160			
56,	168			
57,	160			
59,	160			
60,	160			
67,	168			
68,	160			
69,	160			
70,	160			
71,	160			
72,	160			
73,	160			
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117,	160
118,	160
119,	160
120,	160
122,	160
123,	160
127,	160
128,	160
129,	160
130, 131,	160

* Granted to the Sacketts Harbor Railroad Company by act, chap. 122, Laws of 1855, and by resolution of the Com'rs of the L. O., Aug. 15 and Sept. 27, 1855.

Moose River Tract—Township No. 3—(Continued).*

Lot.	Acres.	Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
182,				
183,				
184,				
185,				
Lots 6, 17, 28, 39, 50, 51, 72, 91, 103, amt'g to 1,472 acres.		June 15, 1843	\$220 00	
Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 62, 63, 64, 65, and 66, amounting in all to . . . 5,298 acres Under war "		Feb. 5, 1842	714 15	\$178 33
Leaving . . . 4,761 " Lots 76, 77, 78, 88, 89, 90, 106, 101, 102, 112, 113, 114, 124, 125, 126, 136, 137, 138, amt'g to 2,688 acres.		Nov. 5, 1849	849 44	87 44

* Granted to the Northern Railroad Company, per act, chap. 128, Laws of 1834, and by resolution of the Com'm of the L. O., Aug. 15 and Sept. 27, 1855.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	174	Township No. 6. Andrew K. Morehouse,	April 5, 1838	\$10 44	
2,	174		April 5, 1838	27 84	
3,	174		April 5, 1838	27 84	
4,	174		April 5, 1838	27 84	
5,	174		April 5, 1838	10 44	
6,	174		April 5, 1838	10 44	
7,	174		April 5, 1838	17 40	
8,	174		April 5, 1838	27 84	
9,	174		April 5, 1838	17 40	
10,	174		April 5, 1838	17 40	
11,	174		April 5, 1838	43 50	
12,	182 7/8		April 5, 1838	45 67	
13,	168		April 5, 1838	26 88	
14,	160		April 5, 1838	25 60	
15,	160		April 5, 1838	16 00	
16,	160		April 5, 1838	25 60	
17,	160		April 5, 1838	16 00	
18,	160		April 5, 1838	12 80	
19,	160		April 5, 1838	12 80	
20,	160		April 5, 1838	16 00	
21,	160		April 5, 1838	16 00	
22,	160		April 5, 1838	16 00	

Moose River Tract—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acre.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
23,	160	Andrew K. Morehouse,	April 5, 1838	\$25 60	
24,	160	do	April 5, 1838	40 00	
25,	160	do	April 5, 1838	25 60	
26,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
27,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
28,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
29,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
30,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
31,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
32,	160	do	April 5, 1838	25 60	
33,	160	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
34,	160	do	April 5, 1838	25 60	
35,	160	do	April 5, 1838	25 60	
36,	168	do	April 5, 1838	26 88	
37,	210	do	April 5, 1838	33 60	
38,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
39,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
40,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
41,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
42,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
43,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
44,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
45,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	

46,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	\$1,344 21	\$336 22
47,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00		
48,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	\$52 50	52 50
49,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00		
50,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00	20 00	20 00
51,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00		
52,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	16 00
53,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00		
54,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	32 00	32 00
55,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00		
56,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00	32 00	32 00
57,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00		
58,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00	32 00	32 00
59,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00		
2- Amount'g to.	10,562 ⁷ / ₈	Sold by resolution of L. O. Commissioners,.		April	5, 1838	\$1,344 21	\$336 22	
60,	210	Andrew K. Morehouse,	.....	April	5, 1838	\$52 50	52 50	
61,	210	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00	20 00	
62,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00	20 00	
63,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
64,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
65,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
66,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
67,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
68,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
69,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
70,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	
71,	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00	16 00	

Moose River Tract—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
72,	200	Andrew K. Morehouse,	April 5, 1838	\$20 00	
73,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
74,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
75,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
76,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
77,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
78,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
79,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
80,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
81,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
82,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
83,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
84,	210	do	April 5, 1838	21 00	
85,	210	do	April 5, 1838	21 00	
86,	200	do	April 5, 1838	50 00	
87,	200	do	April 5, 1838	50 00	
88,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
89,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
90,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
91,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
92,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
93,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	
94,	200	do	April 5, 1838	16 00	

95,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
96,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
97,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
98,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
99,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
100,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
101,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
102,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
103,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
104,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	12 00
105,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00
106,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
107,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
108,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	33 60
109,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	33 60
110,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
111,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
112,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
113,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
114,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
115,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	32 00
116,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00
117,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00
118,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	20 00
119,.....	200	do	.....	April	5, 1838	16 00
Amount'g to	12,060	Sold by resolution of L. O. Commissioners,		April	5, 1838	\$1,342 20
120,.....	244 ¹ / ₈	Andrew K. Morehouse,.....		April	5, 1838	14 65

\$335 20

Moose River Tract — Township No. 9 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
121,	120 ^{7.2} / ₁₀₀	Andrew K. Morehouse,.....	April 5, 1838	\$7 25	
122,	382 ^{4.2} / ₁₀₀	do	April 5, 1838	61 19	
123,	200	do	April 5, 1838	12 00	
124,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
125,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
126,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
127,	200	do	April 5, 1838	20 00	
129,	200	do	April 5, 1838	50 00	
131,	210	do	April 5, 1838	52 50	
134,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
136,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
137,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
138,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
139,	261 ^{4.4} / ₁₀₀	do	April 5, 1838	65 36	
147,	200	do	April 5, 1838	32 00	
148,	200	do	April 5, 1838	50 00	
153,	278 ^{7.2} / ₁₀₀	do (reverted in 1833),..	April 5, 1838	69 68	
154,	174 ^{4.0} / ₁₀₀	do (reverted in 1831),..	April 5, 1838	43 60	
156,	200	do	April 5, 1838	50 00	
160,	137 ^{2.9} / ₁₀₀	do	April 5, 1838	34 32	
152,	123 ^{5.0} / ₁₀₀	do (N. part),.....	April 5, 1838	33 37	
Amount'g to	4,542 ^{7.1} / ₁₀₀	Sold by resolution of Commission's of L. O.,	April 5, 1838	\$807 92	\$201 93

135,	200	Russell Babcock,	May 10, 1827	80 00	40 00
144,	270	Wooster & Smith,	Dec. 27, 1826	135 04	33 04
145,	200	do	Dec. 27, 1826	100 00	25 00
146,	200	do	Dec. 27, 1826	80 00	20 00
153,	278	Stephen Perkins,	Dec. 14, 1827	139 36	34 36
154,	174	John Buyce,	Oct. 31, 1826	87 20	21 80
.....		<i>Township No. 10.</i>			
.....	9,779	Andrew K. Morehouse (whole township), ..	April 5, 1838	880 13	220 13
.....		<i>Triangle adjoining Township No. 23, Totten & Crossfield's purchase.</i>			
1,	148	Wm. C. Potter,	April 3, 1848	14 80	14 80
2 to 55,	7,420 ² / ₇	John T. Lamport (per L. O.),	Aug. 25, 1848	742 09	742 09
.....		<i>Township No. 23, Totten & Crossfield's purchase.</i>			
Whole town- ship, 49 to 226, con- taining, ..	29,169	John T. Lamport,	Aug. 25, 1848	3,286 69	3,286 69
Except lot 105	160	John H. Van Benthuyzen,	Sept. 18, 1847	160 00	40 00

TOTTEN & CROSSFIELD'S PURCHASE.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		Township No. 37.*			
1,	122				
2,	160				
3,	190				
4,	98				
5,	160				
6,	160				
7,	160				
8,	166				
9,	74				
10,	160				
12,	160				
14,	160				
16,	46				
17,	160				
18,	160				
19,	160				
20,	160				
21,	160				
22,	160				
23,	160				
24,	112				

TOTTEN & CROSSFIELD'S PURCHASE — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Township 37 — (Continued).*					
59,.....	160				
60,.....	160				
61,.....	160				
62,.....	160				
63,.....	160				
64,.....	160				
65,.....	160				
66,.....	160				
67,.....	160				
68,.....	160				
69,.....	160				
70,.....	203				
83,.....	160				
84,.....	160				
85,.....	160				
86,.....	160				
87,.....	160				
88,.....	160				
89,.....	160				
90,.....	160				
91,.....	160				

98,.....	200				
94,.....	203				
107,.....	240				
108,.....	240				
109,.....	240				
110,.....	240				
111,.....	240				
114,.....	240				
115,.....	240				
116,.....	240				
117,.....	300				
118,.....	304				
Lots 11, 13, 15, 25, 27, 29, 31, 33, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56 and 58, 2,401 ² / ₁₀₀ acres,.....					
Lots 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 111, 113, in all 4,486 acres,.....					
William C. Potter,		Dec. 31, 1853	\$600 49	\$600 49	
Henry W. De Puy,.....		Dec. 30, 1853	1,121 50	280 50	

* Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, April 21, 1853.

TRIANGLE NORTH OF TOWNSHIP No. 38 — *Totten and Crossfield's Purchase.*

Lot.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1 to 46 inclusive, being whole of triangle, containing 6,851 acres, ..	} Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga R. R. Co., April 21, 1855, chap. 122, Laws of 1855. <i>Township No. 39 — Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.</i>			
Whole township, embracing lots, 1 to 154 inclusive, containing 24,038 acres,		Mar. 21, 1851	\$2,605 70	\$2,605 70

Benjamin Brandreth,.....

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TOWNSHIP No. 42—Totten and Crossfield's Purchase.*

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	209			
2,.....	225			
3,.....	225			
4,.....	225			
5,.....	225			
6,.....	225			
7,.....	225			
8,.....	225			
9,.....	225			
10,.....	170			
11,.....	170			
12,.....	225			
13,.....	225			
14,.....	225			
15,.....	225			
16,.....	225			
17,.....	225			
18,.....	225			
19,.....	225			
20,.....	209			
64,.....	196			
65,.....	196			

* Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, April 21, 1835, chapter 122, Laws of 1835.

TOWNSHIP No. 42 — Totten and Crossfield's Purchase — (Continued).*

Lot.	Acres.	Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
66,	196			
67,	196			
68,	196			
69,	196			
70,	182			
71,	182			
72,	196			
73,	196			
74,	196			
75,	196			
76,	196			
77,	196			
78,	196			
79,	196			
80,	196			
81,	196			
82,	196			
83,	196			
84,	196			
85,	196			
86,	196			

89,	196
90,	182
91,	182
92,	196
93,	196
94,	196
95,	196
96,	196
97,	196
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100,	196
101,	196
102,	196
103,	196
104,	196
105,	196
106,	196
107,	196
108,	196
109,	196
110,	182
111,	182
112,	196
113,	196
114,	196
115,	196
116,	196

* Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, April 21, 1855, chapter 122, Laws of 1855.

TOWNSHIP No. 42 — Totten and Crossfield's Purchase — (Continued).*

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
117,	196			
118,	196			
119,	196			
120,	196			
121,	168			
122,	168			
123,	168			
124,	168			
125,	168			
Lots Nos. 21 to 63, both inclusive, and lots 126 and 127, containing in all 8,591 $\frac{3}{10}$ acres at 20 cents,		June 17, 1853	\$1,718 36	\$1,718 36
Loomis, Kirby & West,				
Township No. 43—Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.*				
Whole township, embracing lots Nos. 1 to 140, containing 25,220 acres.				

* Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company. April 21, 1853, chapter 122, Laws of 1853.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>In town of Putnam, on west shore of Lake Champlain.</i>			
1,.....	50	Robert Barber,.....	Jan. 23, 1834	\$25 00	\$10 00
2,.....	30	Henry Chase,.....	Nov. 12, 1824	15 00	2 00
3,.....	50	do	Nov. 12, 1824	20 00	3 00
4,.....	14	William Snody,.....	Jan. 27, 1834	7 00	7 00
5,.....	74	Doty Allen,.....	Mar. 12, 1834	18 50	18 50
		<i>Gore along south bounds of Duerville, in town of Plattsburgh.</i>			
1,.....	60	Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	121 00	30 00
2,.....	57	do	June 15, 1836	87 00	22 00
3,.....	58	do	June 15, 1836	73 00	18 00
4,.....	66	do	June 15, 1836	101 00	25 00
5,.....	224	Jonathan Woodward,.....	Feb. 5, 1824	224 20	29 00
6,.....	234	do	Feb. 5, 1824	234 00	29 00
7,.....	238	John W. Kent,.....	May 14, 1824	238 00	29 00
8,.....	241	Heman Cady,.....	Aug. 20, 1825	270 92	33 92
9,.....	252	do	Aug. 20, 1826	282 24	35 24
10,.....	261	do	Oct. 3, 1826	292 77	73 00

MARSH LOTS — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Gore between Hoffman Township & Thurman's Road Patent.</i>			
1,	214	B. Van Benthuyzen,	Mar. 11, 1828	\$321 00	\$40 00
2,	218	A. & G. Van Benthuyzen,	Dec. 14, 1848	218 00	60 00
3,	134	Eli Bebee, Jr.,	April 18, 1828	268 00	68 00
		<i>Gore adjoining the Hoffman Township in Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.</i>			200
A. 1,	163	B. Van Benthuyzen,	Mar. 13, 1823	277 00	35 00
B. 2,	146	Dunn & Vosburgh,	Mar. 17, 1848	204 82	51 00
C. 3,	74	Eli Bebee, Jr.,	Mar. 13, 1823	95 00	12 00
E. 5,	111	B. Van Benthuyzen,	May 7, 1825	222 00	28 00
F. 6,	129	Howe & Van Benthuyzen,	May 7, 1825	194 00	25 00
		<i>Gore adjoining the Paradox Tract, and Road Patents.</i>			
A. 1,	46	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Mar. 4, 1828	65 10	16 00
C. 3,	38	Elihu Phelps (L. O.),	Oct 21, 1825	.....	(P'd in full)
D. 4,	38	James Stevenson, Jr.,	Mar. 4, 1828	42 00	11 00
E. 5, S. part, ..	33	Paid in full (Act, chap. 141, Laws of 1824),	Jan. 12, 1826		
		<i>Gore south of Schroon Lake.</i>			
A. 1,	175	Benjamin Culver,	July 24, 1828	175 70	43 70

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June 28, 1825
Mar. 26, 1828
Dec. 15, 1824
Oct. 9, 1823
Mar. 11, 1823
Mar. 11, 1823
June 15, 1836
Dec. 15, 1826
Jan. 15, 1828

Amos Perry,.....
Martin Ingraham,.....
Levi Squire,.....
Thomas Fisk,.....
B. Van Benthuyzen,.....
do.....
Peter Smith,.....
Joseph B. Leavins,.....
Abner Smith,.....

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B. 2,.....
C. 3,.....
D. 4,.....
E. 5,.....
F. 6,.....
G. 7,.....
H. 8,.....
I. 9,.....
K. 10,.....

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Gore lying between Townships 29 & 31, Totten
& Crossfield's Purchase.

Granted to Sacketts Harbor & Saratoga Rail-
road Company,.....

July 15, 1856

D. B. Stockholm,.....
do.....
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June 17, 1850
May 6, 1850
May 6, 1850

E. half of North Gore lying between Townships
12 and 14, Totten & Crossfield's purchase.

Wm. Humes,.....
Wm. C. West,.....

130
249

40 63
77 82

162 50
311 25

Feb. 1, 1844
Feb. 2, 1844

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MARSH LOTS — E. half of North Gore, lying between Townships 12 and 14 — (Continued).

Lot	Acres.	Date of Sale.	Consideration	Amount paid.
3,	206	Oct. 25, 1843	\$257 50	\$64 27
4,	160	Oct. 24, 1843	160 00	160 00
8,	160	Oct. 25, 1843	96 00	24 00
9,	160	Oct. 25, 1843	96 00	24 00
10,	189	Oct. 25, 1843	189 00	47 25
11,	127	Feb. 2, 1844	168 75	39 69
12,	160	Feb. 1, 1844	200 00	50 00
14,	214	Feb. 1, 1844	214 00	53 50
15,	151	Feb. 27, 1844	120 80	30 20
16,	160	Oct. 25, 1843	96 00	24 00
21,	202	Oct. 25, 1843	101 00	25 25
23,	258	June 21, 1843	258 00	64 50
Lots 5, 6, 7, 13, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, in all	2,162	July 31, 1844	315 30	78 83
8, E. corner, Unsurveyed, ..	480 4,650	June 15, 1846 Oct. 18, 1848	96 00 605 00	96 00 302 00

West half of same lot.

Gore lying between Township 11, Totten & Crossfield's purchase on the north, and Dartmouth patent on the south.

1,	127	Kiersted & Osborne,	Feb.	6, 1833	50 92	12 92
2,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
3,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
4,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
5,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
6,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
7,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
8,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
9,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
10,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	128 00	32 00
11,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	128 00	32 00
12,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	128 00	32 00
13,	224	John & James Thurman,	May	17, 1827	89 60	22 00
14,	38	Kiersted & Osborne,	Feb.	6, 1833	11 50	2 50
15,	109	do	Feb.	6, 1833	32 86	8 86
16,	180	do	Feb.	6, 1833	72 12	18 12
17,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
18,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	48 00	12 00
19,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
20,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
21,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	128 00	32 00
22,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	128 00	32 00
23,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
24,	768	Thurman & Patterson,	May	17, 1827	92 16	23 16
25,	58	Kiersted & Osborne,	Feb.	6, 1833	34 05	8 05
26,	91	do	Feb.	6, 1833	45 66	11 66

MARSH LOTS — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
27,	162	Kiersted & Osborne,	Feb.	6, 1833	\$81 16	\$21 00
28,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
29,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	48 00	12 00
30,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
31,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
32,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
33,	1,001	do	Feb.	6, 1833	120 18	30 18
34,	72	do	Feb.	6, 1833	36 25	9 25
35,	72	do	Feb.	6, 1833	21 72	5 72
36,	144	do	Feb.	6, 1833	43 30	10 30
37,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
38,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	80 00	20 00
39,	160	do	Feb.	6, 1833	64 00	16 00
40,	55	do	Feb.	6, 1833	27 66	6 66
41,	126	do	Feb.	6, 1833	63 16	15 16
43,	197	do	Feb.	6, 1833	79 00	20 00

NEW STOCKBRIDGE.

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>West Hill Tract.</i>			
1,	84	Michael Morrow,	May 20, 1824	\$589 30	\$74 00
2,	29	do	May 20, 1824	206 50	26 00
3,	26	Patrick Bulger,	May 20, 1824	145 25	18 15
4,	51	Justus Boyden,	May 20, 1824	186 98	23 00
5, N. part, .	29	Justus Durker,	May 20, 1824	206 92	27 00
5, S. part, .	51	Chappel & Hart,	May 20, 1824	205 04	26 04
7,	102	D. Armour,	May 20, 1824	665 60	85 70
8, W. part, .	19	J. Alexander,	Feb. 15, 1830	163 66	20 46
8, Mid. part, .	25	} Hart & Bulger,	May 20, 1824	401 22	50 30
8, E. part, .	49		Feb. 15, 1830	923 70	115 47
9,	102	J. Alexander,	May 20, 1824	818 07	102 27
10, W. part, .	148	} Sylvester Pettibone,	May 20, 1824	332 12	41 52
10, E. part, .	...		May 18, 1824	332 12	41 52
11, W. part, .	51	James Moone,	Dec. 8, 1823	242 85	30 85
11, E. part, .	51	Kearne & Murray,	Dec. 8, 1823	242 85	30 85
13, N. part, .	48	C. Padrick,	Jan. 4, 1824	332 31	42 31
13, S. part, .	48	James Newkirk,	May 20, 1824	357 91	45 00
15, N. part, .	51	David Thompson,	May 20, 1824	223 05	28 12
15, S. part, .	51	Nathan Porter,	May 18, 1824	223 05	30 00
16, N. part, .	49	Artemus Green,	May 18, 1824	332 64	41 58
16, S. part, .	49	John A. Stewart,			
17, N. part, .	51	Hannah Gregg,			

NEW STOCKBRIDGE — West Hill Tract — (Continued.)

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17, S. part, .	51	Absalom Gregg,	May 18, 1824	\$332 64	\$41 58
18, N. part, .	49	Jonathan Green,	May 18, 1824	247 83	30 98
18, S. part, .	49	Elizabeth Byrne,	May 20, 1824	207 83	32 00
19,	54	Josiah Wright,	May 20, 1824	355 81	44 81
20,	52	John Hunt,	Jan. 10, 1824	291 39	37 39
21,	106	Eli Thompson,	Jan. 10, 1824	690 04	86 26
23,	30	Eliel Munger,	May 20, 1824	123 76	15 76
24,	49	Wales & Baker,	May 20, 1824	199 44	24 93
25,	155	Amos Bridge,	May 20, 1824	1,090 11	137 00
26, W. part, .	61	Nathan Pritchard,	May 20, 1824	430 92	57 00
26, E. part, .	39	Nathan Parkhurst,	May 20, 1824	159 00	20 00
28, W. part, .	52	J. & F. N. Baker,	May 20, 1824	208 48	26 48
28, E. part, .	52	Holt & Mack,	May 18, 1824	260 55	32 56
29,	102	Daniel Dickey,	May 18, 1824	716 31	89 54
30, W. part, .	47	Joseph Dickey,	May 20, 1824	201 79	25 22
30, E. part, .	52	Ezra Mack,	May 20, 1824	235 40	29 40
31,	52	J. Baker,	May 20, 1824	338 65	42 65
32,	51	J. Harrington,	May 20, 1824	415 76	51 00
33, W. part, .	45	J. Wright, . . . . .	. . . . .	238 19	30 19
33, E. part, .	49	E. Barstow,	May 20, 1824	148 47	19 00
34,	51	Ezra Mack,	May 20, 1824	335 99	41 99
35,	59	Norman Wilson,	May 20, 1824	477 92	60 00
36,	53	Daniel Dickey,	May 20, 1824	344 96	43 96

37,	B. Parks,.....	May	20, 1824	327 93	90 00
38,	Austin Carver,.....	May	20, 1824	245 81	30 71
39, N. part, .	} Skidmore & Matthewson,.....	May	20, 1824	362 10	45 25
39, S. part, .					
39, E. part, .	} L. G. Sloane,	May	20, 1824	112 50	14 50
40, W. part, .					
40, N. part, .					
40, S. part, .					
42,	Joseph Black, Jr.,	May	20, 1824	347 35	33 00

ONEIDA CREEK TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	51	Luther White,	May 20, 1824	\$410 80	\$52 15
2,	79	Asa Mann,	May 20, 1824	792 70	100 00
3, N. part, .	14	Thaddeus Mussey, .	.....	88 50	11 06
3, S. part, .	14	Moses Wheeler,	May 20, 1824	77 88	10 38
4,	72	Aaron Nash,	May 20, 1824	470 86	59 00
6,	101	Oliver Brown,	May 20, 1824	509 50	64 00
7,	22	Jesse McDole,	May 18, 1824	137 10	17 10
8,	48	Sheldon Parmelee, .....	.....	415 31	51 91
9,	11	Jesse McDole, .....	.....	88 00	11 00
10,	38	David Francis,	Dec. 16, 1823	230 16	29 16
11,	23	Wm. T. Gregg, .....	.....	116 40	15 40
12,	117	Brown & Carpenter,	May 20, 1824	614 25	77 00
13,	82	Thomas Dean, .....	.....	414 00	52 00
15,	29	B. F. Barber,	May 20, 1824	116 36	30 00
16,	22	Thomas Dean,	May 13, 1824	110 35	14 35
17, N. part, .	23	B. F. Barber, .....	.....	107 10	13 49
17, S. part, .	40	David Patterson, .....	.....	183 51	28 00
18, W. part, .	22	Alfred Edson,	May 20, 1824	101 25	13 00
18, E. part, .	70	do	May 20, 1824	319 32	40 00
19, W. part, .	50	Edson & Beach, .....	.....	227 70	27 93
19, E. part, .	58	John True, .....	.....	265 05	28 18

NEW STOCKBRIDGE—*Mile Tract.*

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	75	John Carter,	May 18, 1824	\$341 33	\$42 67
2,	49	Isaac Merwin,	May 20, 1824	222 62	28 00
3,	145	J. Hewitt,	May 20, 1824	508 03	63 03
4, W. part, .	23	John Johnson,	May 20, 1824	118 35	16 00
4, N. E. part,	1	Wm. Page,	May 20, 1824	7 40	7 40
5, W. part, .	33	Elam May,	May 18, 1824	116 20	14 52
5, E. part, .	16	Wm. Burlison,	May 20, 1824	67 20	9 00
7,	98	Orris Freeman,	May 20, 1824	590 58	73 83
8,	104	Jonathan Wood,	May 20, 1824	522 65	66 00
9, N. part, .	48	Wm. Burlison,	May 20, 1824	291 00	37 00
9, S. part, .	48	Solomon Cook,	May 20, 1824	266 75	33 43
10, N. part, .	52	do	May 20, 1824	262 68	33 00
10, S. part, .	52	Eli Ranney,	May 20, 1824	262 68	33 00
11, W. part, .	49	L. Woodworth,	May 20, 1824	147 75	18 75
11, E. part, .	49	Wm. Porter,	May 20, 1824	344 82	43 11
12, W. part, .	52	Eaton & Perkins,	May 20, 1824	264 10	33 50
12, E. part, .	52	Abel Ingraham,	May 20, 1824	237 74	31 00
13, W. part, .	62	Varnum, Jaquays & White,	May 20, 1824	280 71	35 71
14, W. part, .	52	David Powers,	May 20, 1824	367 04	46 00
14, E. part, .	52	Samuel Stone,	May 20, 1824	367 04	46 00
15, E. part, .	47	Russel Knox,	May 20, 1824	333 62	43 00
16,	102	Grove Hinman,	May 20, 1824	716 66	92 00
17, W. part, .	48	Case & Hinman,	May 20, 1824	288 00	36 00

NEW STOCKBRIDGE — Mile Tract — (Continued).²

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17, E. part, .	21	J. Stevens, Jr.,.....	May 20, 1824	\$126 21	\$16 00
18, S. part, .	34	Thomas Dean,	May 20, 1824	207 84	26 84
18, W. part, .	24	Samuel S. Hart,.....	May 20, 1824	133 65	17 00
19,	108	Grove Hinman,	May 20, 1824	756 35	95 00
20, E. part, .	78	E. Shepard, Jr.,	May 20, 1824	469 20	60 00
20, S. part, .	14	do .....	.....	85 92	11 00
New Stockbridge — East Hill Tract.					
1,	42	Thomas Rockwell,.....	Feb. 12, 1824	191 21	24 21
2,	52	Luther Myrick,.....	May 20, 1824	158 46	20 00
3,	48	Abel Gnthrie,.....	Feb. 13, 1824	341 46	43 46
4,	93	Erastus Hart,	May 20, 1824	651 21	81 40
5,	92	J. S. West,	May 20, 1824	506 50	63 31
7,	48	John Thompson,	May 20, 1824	195 52	25 00
8, W. & S. p.	74	Luther Myrick,.....	May 20, 1824	447 00	56 00
8, N.E. part,	25	Lemuel Smith,.....	May 20, 1824	153 00	19 00
9,	58	Eli Page,.....	May 20, 1824	406 00	51 00
10,	50	Tilly Hamilton,	May 20, 1824	176 86	22 10
11,	50	J. Thompson, .....	.....	201 48	26 00
12,	101	Win. Smith,	May 20, 1824	711 20	89 00
13,	51	Ira Smith,.....	.....	306 00	40 00
14,	51	John Van Hoesen, .	May 20, 1824	357 00	45 00
15,	39	Luther White,	May 20, 1824	99 90	12 48

16,	41	} David Dunham,	Jan.	7, 1824	400	41	50	41
17,	42		May	20, 1824	274	76	33	00
18,	42		May	20, 1824	293	76	37	00
19,	48		May	20, 1824	306	00	38	25
20,	48		May	18, 1824	47	25	7	87
23, N. part, ..	13		May	20, 1824	224	50	27	32
23, S. part, ..	64		May	20, 1824	390	60	50	00
24,	97		May	20, 1824	346	85	44	00
25,	49		May	20, 1824	292	10	38	25
26,	50		May	20, 1824	275	82	35	00
27, N. part, ..	45	} Orrin & Amos Austin, ..	May	20, 1824	275	82	35	00
27, S. part, ..	45		.....	.....	231	00	29	00
28, Main part,	77		May	20, 1824	80	00	10	00
28, N.W. part,	10		May	20, 1824	274	73	34	50
29, W. part, ..	49		May	20, 1824	278	69	36	00
29, E. part, ..	50		May	20, 1824	600	60	75	58
30, W. part, ..	50		May	20, 1824	305	64	38	20
30, E. part, ..	50		May	20, 1824	301	38	38	00
32, W. part, ..	50		.....	.....	600	00	75	60
32, E. part, ..	100		May	20, 1824	151	50	18	43
33,	50	} Farrington & Raynond, ..	May	20, 1824	278	00	278	00
35,	50		May	20, 1824	278	03	60	00
36, N. part, ..	51		May	20, 1824	253	25	32	25
36, S. part, ..	51		May	20, 1824	361	55	46	00
37, W. part, ..	51		May	20, 1824	251	25	31	42
37, E. part, ..	67		May	20, 1824	283	03	36	00
39,	51		.....	.....	283	03	35	38
40, N. part, ..	51		.....	.....		
40, S. part, ..	51		.....	.....		

NEW STOCKBRIDGE — East Hill Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
41, N. part, .	37	Francis Green,	May 20, 1824	\$150 00	\$20 00
41, S. part, .	60	Richmond & Kendall,	May 20, 1824	242 40	33 00
42, S. part, .	82	} Benj. & Isaac Allen,	May 18, 1824	450 00	450 00
42, N. part, .	16				
43,	97	Polly Tuke, . . . . .	. . . . .	485 50	62 00
44, W. part, .	25	David Manchester,	May 20, 1824	112 50	14 50
44, E. part, .	26	Oliver Stewart,	May 20, 1824	121 28	15 16
45,	100	Wm. Gage, . . . . .	. . . . .	525 00	66 00
46, W. part, .	30	Jesse Bridge,	May 20, 1824	180 00	24 00
46, E. part, .	20	Jonas Bridge,	May 20, 1824	120 00	15 00
47, N. part, .	15	do	May 20, 1824	90 00	12 00
47, S. part, .	15	John McPherson,	May 20, 1824	90 00	12 00
Gore along Van Bergen's Third Tract, South of Dice's Manor Lot No. 12.					
1,	101	Conrad Patric,	Mar. 10, 1824	76 35	19 35
2,	169	S. & P. J. Reichtmeyer,	Mar. 10, 1824	147 87	24 87
3,	57	John Job,	Mar. 10, 1824	71 25	9 25
4,	15	John Reichtmeyer,	Mar. 10, 1824	11 25	2 25
5,	184	Daniel McGarry,	Mar. 10, 1824	207 56	25 95
6,	174	John Stryker,	Mar. 10, 1824	174 00	21 00
7,	108	John Reichtmeyer,	Mar. 10, 1824	148 50	18 50

*Gore, bounded south by Varick & Bell's Patent
and north by the Tract in N. W. part of
Oneida Reservation.*

1,	53	Mar. 16, 1824	213 00	26 00
2,	34	Mar. 16, 1824	103 00	13 00
3,	46	Mar. 16, 1824	141 00	17 00
4,	68	June 14, 1824	340 00	43 00

Onondaga Residence Reservation, Pur. of 1822.

1,	114	Mar. 16, 1824	1,270 00	156 00
2,	138	April 21, 1824	448 50	56 50
3,	125	Mar. 16, 1824	815 00	Cr. in L. O.
4,	74	Mar. 16, 1824	635 00	86 00
5,	66	Mar. 16, 1824	685 00	85 00
6,	115	April 12, 1824	317 62	40 00
7,	131	Mar. 16, 1824	922 00	Cr. in L. O.

OLD MILITARY TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Township No. 9.					
1,.....	116	Wm. McDonald,	Jan. 19, 1832	\$58 25	\$14 25
2,.....	136	do	Jan. 19, 1832	68 00	17 00
3,.....	155	Peter Smith,	Mar. 8, 1832	108 50	27 50
4,.....	125	do	Mar. 8, 1832	87 50	20 50
5,.....	113	do	Mar. 8, 1832	67 80	16 80
6,.....	117	do	Mar. 8, 1832	70 21	18 20
7,.....	147	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 22	4 22
8,.....	126	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 38	4 38
9,.....	120	do	May 20, 1835	18 00	18 00
10,.....	118	do	May 20, 1835	17 70	17 70
11,.....	114	do	Nov. 4, 1833	12 54	3 54
12,.....	118	do	Nov. 4, 1833	15 34	3 34
13,.....	130	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 90	4 90
14,.....	138	do	Nov. 4, 1833	22 08	6 08
15,.....	141	do	Nov. 4, 1833	18 33	4 33
16,.....	145	do	Nov. 4, 1833	15 95	3 95
17,.....	150	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 50	4 50
18,.....	132	do	Nov. 4, 1833	13 27	3 27
19,.....	133	do	Nov. 4, 1833	14 66	3 66
	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
		do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
		do	Mar. 4, 1829	64 00	16 00

23,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	1000	.....	23	48 00	.....	12 00	50
24,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	20 80	.....	5 80	50
25,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	32 00	.....	32 00	50
26,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1833	20, 1833	.....	23	24 00	.....	24 00	50
27,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1833	20, 1833	.....	23	9 12	.....	2 12	50
28,	.....	152	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	19 76	.....	4 76	50
29,	.....	152	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	22 80	.....	5 80	50
30,	.....	190	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	85 50	.....	21 50	50
31,	.....	171	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	76 00	.....	19 00	50
32,	.....	152	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	76 00	.....	19 00	50
33,	.....	152	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	133 00	.....	34 00	50
34,	.....	190	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	76 00	.....	19 00	50
35,	.....	152	do	.....	Mar.	4, 1829	4, 1829	.....	23	76 00	.....	19 00	50
36,	.....	127	do	.....	Mar.	4, 1829	4, 1829	.....	23	76 20	.....	19 20	50
37,	.....	136	Joshua Bloore,	.....	July	26, 1831	26, 1831	.....	23	68 25	.....	17 25	50
38,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20, 1835	20, 1835	.....	23	96 00	.....	24 00	50
39,	.....	200	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	120 00	.....	30 00	50
40,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	80 00	.....	20 00	50
41,	.....	160	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	64 00	.....	16 00	50
42,	.....	180	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	8, 1832	.....	23	90 00	.....	23 00	50
43,	.....	200	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	24 00	.....	6 00	50
44,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	22 40	.....	5 40	50
45,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1835	20, 1835	.....	23	24 00	.....	24 00	50
46,	.....	160	do	.....	May	20, 1835	20, 1835	.....	23	32 00	.....	32 00	50
47,	.....	160	{ Solomon Southwick (unbounded),	.....	May	1, 1826	1, 1826	.....	23	.....	.....	8 00	50
48,	.....	160	{ Sold to Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	15, 1836	.....	23	76 00	.....	19 00	50
49,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4, 1833	.....	23	27 20	.....	7 20	50
50,	.....	160	James Strong,	.....	Aug.	12, 1825	12, 1825	.....	23	40 00	.....	5 00	50
	.....		do	.....	Aug.	12, 1825	12, 1825	.....	23	40 00	.....	5 00	50

Old Military Tract — Township No. 9 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
51,	160	James Strong,	Aug. 12, 1825	\$40 00	\$5 00
52,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1825	48 00	6 00
53,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1825	40 00	5 00
54,	130	McDonald & Jenkins,	June 16, 1836	44 00	44 00
55,	127	do	June 16, 1836	50 00	50 00
56,	160	James Strong,	Aug. 12, 1825	64 00	8 00
57,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1825	48 00	6 00
58,	154	do	Aug. 12, 1825	61 60	7 60
59,	150	do	Aug. 12, 1825	52 50	6 50
60,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1825	56 00	7 00
61,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	17 60	4 60
62,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
63,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
64,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	9 60	2 60
65,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
66,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
67,	180	do	Mar. 8, 1832	72 00	18 00
68,	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	64 00	16 00
69,	160	do	Mar. 4, 1829	80 00	20 00
70,	200	do	Mar. 4, 1829	80 00	20 00
71,	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
72,	197	do	Mar. 8, 1832	98 60	22 60
73,	199	do	Nov. 6, 1832	89 64	22 64

Old MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
103,	180	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	\$25 20	\$6 20
104,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
105,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	36 80	9 80
106,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
107,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	27 20	7 20
108,	201	do	Nov. 4, 1833	50 32	12 32
109,	203	do	Nov. 4, 1833	38 64	9 64
110,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	22 40	5 40
111,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 00	7 00
112,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
113,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	9 60	2 60
114,	180	do	Nov. 4, 1833	7 20	2 20
115,	200	Henry L. Webb,	June 15, 1836	51 00	51 00
116,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	27 20	7 20
117,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
118,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
119,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 80	7 80
120,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
121,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
122,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	27 20	7 20
123,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	22 40	5 40
124,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	22 40	5 40
125,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00

126,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	11	98
127,	.....	Mc Donald & Jenkins,	.....	June	15, 1836	38	00
128,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	41	00
129,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	May	20, 1835	16	00
130,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24	00
131,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	8	00
132,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	9	20
133,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	6	00
134,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	6	60
135,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	32	00
136,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	32	00
137,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40	00
138,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40	00
139,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	2	00
140,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	2	60
141,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4	00
142,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	8	00
143,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24	00
144,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	7	77
145,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	8	12
146,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	3	80
147,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	5	00
148,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	2	00
149,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	3	20
150,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	5	60
151,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	7	00
152,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	5	20
153,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4	60
154,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	4	80

OLD MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
155,	80	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	\$9 60	\$2 60
156,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
157,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	38 40	9 40
158,	160	do	June 15, 1836	52 00	52 00
159,	160	do	June 15, 1836	32 00	32 00
160,	160	do	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
161,	160	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
162,	113	do	June 15, 1836	28 42	28 42
163,	110	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 63	4 63
164,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	17 60	4 60
165,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
166,	160	do	June 15, 1836	46 00	46 00
167,	160	do	June 15, 1836	55 00	55 00
168,	160	do	May 20, 1835	32 00	32 00
169,	160	do	May 20, 1835	32 00	32 00
170,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
171,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	17 60	4 60
172,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
173,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	28 80	7 80
174,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
175,	180	do	Nov. 4, 1833	23 40	5 40
176,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	20 80	5 80
177,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20

178,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	30 00	8 00
179,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	43 20	11 20
180,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	62 88	15 88
181,	.....	Thomas A. Tomlinson,	.....	Dec.	1, 1833	80 00	20 00
182,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	41 60	10 60
183,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	25 50	6 50
184,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
185,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	18 00	5 00
186,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	30 60	7 60
187,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	10 00
188,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	8 00
189,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	25 60	6 60
190,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	19 20	5 20
191,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 80	7 80
192,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	25 60	6 60
193,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
194,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	8 00	2 00
195,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	25 60	6 60
196,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
197,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	32 00	32 00
198,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	26 00	26 00
199,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	43 00	43 00
200,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	16 00	4 00
201,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	18 00	5 00
202,	.....	Henry L. Webb,	.....	June	15, 1836	41 00	41 00
203,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	June	15, 1836	52 00	52 00
204,	.....	Henry L. Webb,	.....	June	15, 1836	67 00	67 00
205,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	25 60	6 60
206,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	15 00	4 00

OLD MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
207,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	\$28 80	\$7 80
208,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	30 40	7 40
209,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
210,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	26 00	7 00
211,	180	do	Nov. 4, 1833	30 60	7 60
212,	140	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 80	4 80
213,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
214,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	36 00	9 00
215,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	49 60	12 60
216,	90	Joseph Call,	Dec. 23, 1831	67 50	16 50
217,	215	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	36 70	9 70
218,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	67 20	17 20
219,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	62 00	16 00
220,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	43 20	11 20
221,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	48 00	12 00
222,	180	do	Nov. 6, 1832	48 60	12 60
223,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	50 00	13 00
224,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	36 80	9 80
225,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	30 40	7 40
226,	120	do	Nov. 4, 1833	24 00	6 00
227,	70	do	Nov. 4, 1833	9 10	2 10
228,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
229,	160	Wm. B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	51 00	51 00

230,	.....	do	.....	June	15, 1836	51 00	51 00	61 00
231,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	22 40	5 40
232,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	24 00	6 00
233,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	32 00	32 00	8 00
234,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	10 25	10 25	3 25
235,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	9 97	9 97	2 97
236,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835.	40 00	40 00	40 00
237,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	40 00	40 00	40 00
238,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	17 60	17 60	4 60
239,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	22 40	5 40
240,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	12 80	12 80	3 80
241,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	27 20	27 20	7 20
242,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	25 60	25 60	6 60
243,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	20 80	20 80	5 80
244,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	40 00	10 00
245,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 80	28 80	7 80
246,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	30 00	30 00	8 00
247,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	63 00	63 00	16 00
248,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	64 00	64 00	16 00
249,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	49 60	49 60	12 60
250,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	100 00	100 00	25 00
251,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	43 50	43 50	11 50
252,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	69 76	69 76	17 76
253,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	33 00	33 00	8 00
254,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	41 58	41 58	10 58
255,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	52 50	52 50	13 50
256,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	38 40	38 40	10 40
257,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	48 00	48 00	12 00
258,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	63 00	63 00	16 00

OLD MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 9—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
259,	200	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	\$50 00	\$50 00
260,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
261,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	35 20	9 20
262,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
263,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
264,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
265,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
266,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
267,	160	do	May 20, 1835	32 00	32 00
268,	160	do	May 20, 1835	32 00	32 00
269,	160	do	May 20, 1835	40 00	40 00
270,	96	do	June 15, 1836	29 00	29 00
271,	94	Wm. B. Walton,	June 15, 1836	33 00	33 00
272,	160	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
273,	160	Anna E. Cherritree (per L. O.),	Oct. 12, 1853		
274,	160	Henry L. Webb,	June 15, 1836	70 00	70 00
275,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833.	27 20	7 20
276,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
277,	160	do	May 20, 1835	24 00	24 00
278,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	17 60	4 60
279,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
280,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	27 20	7 20
281,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	30 40	7 40

282,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	58 00	15 00
283,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	39 60	10 60
284,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	38 40	9 40
285,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	48 00	12 00
286,	.....	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	150 00	38 00
287,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	35 20	9 20
288,	.....	Anna E. Cherritree (per L. O.),	.....	Oct.	12, 1853		
289,	.....	Wm. B. Walton,	.....	June	15, 1836	81 00	20 00
290,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	32 00	8 00
291,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	66 00	17 00
292,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	57 60	14 60
293,	.....	James Strong,	.....	Aug.	12, 1825	28 00	3 00
294,	.....	do	.....	Aug.	12, 1825	56 00	7 00
295,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	54 00	14 00
296,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	33 60	8 60
297,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	33 60	8 60
298,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	6, 1832	28 80	7 80
299,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
300,	.....	do	.....	May	20, 1835	24 00	24 00
301,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	16 00	4 00
302,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
303,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	14 40	3 40
304,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	14 40	3 40
305,	.....	Henry L. Webb,	.....	June	15, 1836	63 00	63 00
306,	.....	Wm. B. Walton,	.....	June	15, 1836	45 00	45 00
307,	.....	Henry L. Webb,	.....	June	15, 1836	47 00	47 00
308,	Peter Smith,	Nov.	4, 1833	24 00	6 00
309,	do	Nov.	4, 1833	25 00	6 60
310,	do	Nov.	4, 1833	16 00	4 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
311,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	\$17 00	\$4 60
312,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
313,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	27 20	7 20
314,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	28 80	7 80
315,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	35 20	9 20
316,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	32 00	8 00
317,	160	James Duane,	Nov. 13, 1829	104 00	26 00
318,	200	do	Nov. 13, 1829	180 00	45 00
319,	180	James Strong,	Aug. 12, 1825	90 00	11 00
320,	160	do	Aug. 12, 1826	80 00	10 00
321,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 6, 1832	40 00	10 00
322,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	36 00	9 00
323,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	22 40	5 40
324,	226	Anna E. Cherritree (per L. O.),	Oct. 12, 1853		
325,	228	Peter Smith,	Nov. 20, 1835	34 23	34 23
326,	160	do	Nov. 4, 1833	25 60	6 60
327,	200	do	Nov. 6, 1832	40 00	10 00
328,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	30 40	7 40
329,	160	do	Nov. 6, 1832	35 20	9 20
330,	180	Jonathan Wetherbee,	Jan. 17, 1831	180 00	45 00
331,	200	Peter Smith, . . . . .	. . . . .	64 00	16 00
332,	160	James Duane,	Nov. 13, 1829	144 00	36 00
338,	160	do	Nov. 13, 1829	160 00	40 00

334,	.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	.....	59 20	15 20
335,	.....	160	do	.....	.....	35 20	9 20
336,	.....	160	do	.....	.....	32 00	8 00
337,	.....	160	do	.....	.....	24 00	6 00
338,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	16 00	4 00
339,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	11 20	3 20
340,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	19 20	5 20
341,	.....	160	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	19 32	5 32
342,	.....	85	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	10 28	2 28
343,	.....	106	James Strong,	.....	Aug. 12, 1825	32 04	4 04
344,	.....	205	do	.....	Aug. 12, 1825	S2 00	10 00
345,	.....	202	do	.....	Aug. 12, 1825	80 96	10 96
346,	.....	199	do	.....	Aug. 12, 1825	59 76	7 76
347,	.....	196	do	.....	Aug. 12, 1825	58 80	7 80
348,	.....	194	James Duane,	.....	Nov. 15, 1828	97 00	24 25
349,	.....	191	do	.....	Nov. 15, 1828	133 84	33 25
350,	.....	188	do	.....	June 16, 1828	94 20	23 20
351,	.....	185	do	.....	June 16, 1828	92 80	23 80
352,	.....	182	do	.....	June 16, 1828	54 84	13 84
353,	.....	180	do	.....	June 16, 1828	27 00	7 00
354,	.....	220	do	.....	June 16, 1828	33 09	8 09
355,	.....	195	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov. 6, 1832	62 50	15 50
356,	.....	170	do	.....	Nov. 6, 1832	46 06	12 06
357,	.....	167	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	20 13	5 13
358,	.....	205	do	.....	Nov. 4, 1833	28 81	7 81
359,	.....	161	do	.....	May 20, 1835	64 56	64 56
360,	.....	227	do	.....	May 20, 1835	90 96	22 96

EAST PART OF OLD MILITARY TRACT—Township No. 9.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	201	Wm. McDonald,	June 27, 1826	\$100 80	\$25 00
2,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 8, 1832	56 00	14 00
3,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
4,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	64 00	16 00
5,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	48 00	12 00
6,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	64 00	16 00
7,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	96 00	24 00
8,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
9,.....	152	do	Mar. 8, 1832	30 40	7 40
10,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	24 00	6 00
11,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	40 00	20 00
12,.....	152	do	Mar. 8, 1832	45 60	11 60
13,.....	156	do	Mar. 8, 1832	78 00	19 00
14,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
15,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
16,.....	160	James Strong,.....	Sept. 20, 1827	80 00	20 00
17,.....	160	do	Sept. 20, 1827	80 00	20 00
18,.....	180	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 8, 1832	72 00	18 00
19,.....	180	James Strong,.....	Aug. 24, 1826	18 00	18 00
20,.....	160	do	Sept. 20, 1827	64 00	16 00
21,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
22,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00
23,.....	160	do	Mar. 8, 1832	80 00	20 00

24,	.....	156	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	62 40	15 40
25,	.....	159	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	47 88	11 88
26,	.....	180	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	45 00	11 00
27,	.....	188	do	.....	Feb.	8, 1833	18 80	18 80
28,	.....	182	John W. James,	.....	April 16,	1830	10 94	10 94
29,	.....	190	Peter Smith,	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	47 50	11 50
30,	.....	194	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	116 40	29 40
31,	.....	200	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	100 00	25 00
32,	.....	191	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	76 40	19 40
33,	.....	179	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	71 60	18 60
34,	.....	175	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	70 00	17 00
35,	.....	172	do	.....	Mar.	8, 1832	68 80	17 80
36,	.....	217	Wm. McDonald,	.....	June 27,	1826	87 12	21 00

ISLANDS IN NIAGARA RIVER.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Grass and Gill Creek Island.</i>			
	20	George W. Holley,	Mar. 11, 1848	\$20 00	\$20 00
	100	<i>Strawberry Island.</i>			
		Henry F. Penfield,	June 3, 1825	406 00	51 00
	29	<i>Beaver Island.</i>			
		Samuel Leggett,	June 3, 1825	405 00	51 00
	2	<i>Frog Island.</i>			
		Samuel Leggett,	June 3, 1825	41 00	5 00
	47	<i>Rattlesnake Island.</i>			
		Henry F. Penfield,	June 3, 1825	400 00	50 00
	69	<i>Tonawanda Island.</i>			
		Samuel Leggett,	June 3, 1825	1,400 00	175 00
	98	<i>Cayuga Island.</i>			
		Yates & McIntyre,	June 3, 1825	400 00	50 00
	146	<i>Buckhorn Island.</i>			
		Peter Smith,	June 3, 1825	670 00	84 00

Conners' Island.		Nov. 15, 1830	24 75	10 00
Au Long Sault Island, in the river St. Lawrence.				
8	Joseph Osborne,.....	Nov.		
90	Wm. Jaycox,	Feb.	247 50	61 87
45	John Hutchins,	Feb.	112 50	28 12
67	do	Feb.	184 25	46 00
78	Hiram Wilson,.....	Feb.	195 00	48 75
66	do	Feb.	132 00	33 00
47	John Hutchins,.....	Feb.	105 75	26 44
50	do	Feb.	90 45	22 61
83	Joseph Brown,	May 4, 1829	187 31	46 88
71	Charles Bush,	May 4, 1829	107 25	26 81
51	John Hutchins,	Feb. 22, 1829	90 13	22 53
48	Willard Hutchins,.....	May 11, 1829	85 31	21 33
61	do	May 11, 1829	85 40	21 35
59	Roswell Mitchell,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	82 60	20 65
46	Lewis De Rosia,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	71 69	17 92
42	L. De Rosia, Jr.,	Oct. 17, 1829	65 10	16 28
51	Joseph Currier,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	72 24	18 06
48	Eustis River,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	74 40	18 60
35	Francis Vee,	Oct. 17, 1829	63 90	15 98
30	David Bush,	Oct. 17, 1829	54 90	13 73
44	Peter Greenye,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	79 65	19 91
53	John Melett,.....	Oct. 17, 1829	96 60	24 15
23	Francis Bellair,	Oct. 17, 1829	41 85	10 47
26	Joseph Bellor,.....	May 11, 1829	71 50	17 87
55	Gabriel Mitchell,	Oct. 17, 1829	100 58	25 14

AU LONG SAULT ISLAND IN THE RIVER ST. LAWRENCE — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
25,	47	Joseph Bellow,	May 11, 1829	\$85 08	\$21 27
26,	39	do	May 11, 1829	109 31	27 32
27,	52	Benjamin Phillips,	May 25, 1839	144 38	36 38
28,	27	Joseph Bancroft,	Oct. 18, 1830	50 04	12 54
29,	47	Zebulon Mandigo,	Oct. 17, 1829	84 83	21 21
30,	52	Thomas Thompson,	Sept. 14, 1831	84 00	20 37
31,	46	Robert Nelson,	May 11, 1829	74 75	18 70
32,	39	Jeremiah Collins,	Oct. 18, 1830	62 40	15 50
33,	34	Charles Blair,	Oct. 17, 1829	55 20	13 80
34,	47	Benjamin Phillips,	May 25, 1839	47 25	12 25
35,	61	Leonard Stoneburner,	Nov. 5, 1832	68 68	19 30
36,	70	Joseph Clark,	Aug. 1, 1829	78 40	19 30
37,	75	George Cline,	Mar. 17, 1830	75 00	19 00
38,	73	M. & G. Cline,	Nov. 19, 1839	81 76	21 00

LANDS IN THE TOWN OF BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

[CON. NO. 115.]

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,.....	190	Ralsey Morse, by act, chap. 60, Laws of 1826,	\$53 20	\$13 30
2,.....	178	H. & S. Hinckley,.....	.....	26 70	6 70
3,.....	188	Joseph Call,	April 3, 1828	18 80	5 00
4,.....	200	Ralsey Morse, by act, chap. 60, Laws of 1826, ..	.....	70 00	17 50
5,.....	200	Joseph Call, by act, chap. 60, Laws of 1826, ..	.....	76 00	19 00
6,.....	188	do	Feb. 22, 1833	37 60	9 60
7,.....	188	Squire Hinckley,	May 4, 1833	22 56	5 56
8,.....	200	do	May 4, 1833	60 00	15 00
9,.....	126	H. & S. Hinckley,.....	.....	56 70	14 70
10,.....	124	Reuben Spaulding, .....	.....	55 80	13 00
11,.....	68	H. & S. Hinckley,.....	.....	34 00	8 50
12,.....	68	S. R. Johnson, .....	.....	51 00	13 00
13,.....	244	R. & J. Wells,.....	Feb. 3, 1834	61 00	16 00
14,.....	244	John Archibald,.....	May 31, 1832	48 80	12 80
15,.....	244	Anthony Hoquet,.....	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
16,.....	537	Squire Hinckley,	Mar. 31, 1834	53 78	16 17
17,.....	196	Anthony Hoquet,.....	June 15, 1825	40 00	40 00
18,.....	196	James Kidd,.....	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
19,.....	255	R. C. Spaulding,	April 3, 1834	25 50	6 50
20,.....	295	Anthony Hoquet,.....	June 15, 1836	50 00	50 00
21,.....	285	do	June 15, 1836	48 00	48 00
22,.....	224	do	June 15, 1836	44 00	44 00
23,.....	163	do	June 15, 1836	38 00	38 00

LANDS IN THE TOWN OF LEWIS—(Continued.)

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	128	James Kidd,	June 15, 1836	\$27 00	\$27 00
25,	176	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
26,	224	do	June 15, 1836	40 00	40 00
27,	232	Alanson Wilder,	June 15, 1836	60 00	60 00
28,	200	R. C. Spaulding,	April 3, 1834	24 00	6 00
29,	200	Alanson Wilder,	June 15, 1836	120 00	30 00
30,	232	do	June 15, 1836	90 00	22 00
31,	224	James Kimball,	Dec. 26, 1834	67 20	17 00
32,	176	J. C. Brown,	Nov. 21, 1833	176 00	44 00
33,	128	Joseph Call,	Mar. 4, 1828	19 20	5 00
<i>Lands south and adjoining Maul's Patent.</i>					
1,	200	{ McDonald & Jenkins (unbounded),	June 15, 1836	. . . . .	39 00
		{ Wm. McDonald,	Nov. 15, 1839	139 78	34 94
2,	200	{ McDonald & Jenkins (unbounded),	June 15, 1836	. . . . .	26 00
		{ Wm. McDonald,	Nov. 15, 1839	100 40	25 10
3,	480	Hiram A. Stone,	Dec. 9, 1835	48 00	48 00
4,	480	do	Dec. 9, 1835	72 00	18 00
5,	280	do	Dec. 9, 1835	42 00	42 00

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	V. P. Douw,	May 6, 1828	\$75 00	\$75 00
2,	do	May 6, 1828	75 00	75 00
3,	J. R. & J. Stafford,	Oct. 5, 1836	205 00	51 00
4,	Jonathan Case,	April 27, 1835	50 00	12 50
5,	Jeremiah Gates,	Oct. 5, 1836	200 00	50 00
6,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	205 00	51 00
7,	Jonathan Case,	Oct. 5, 1836	160 00	40 00
8,	James Lyon,	May 6, 1828	90 00	22 50
9,	do	May 6, 1828	135 00	33 75
10,	Wheat & Doolittle, paym't of \$928.10 by receipt resolution of L. O., Sept. 23, 1829, . . . . .	. . . . .	3,250 00	
11,	V. P. Douw,	May 6, 1828	250 00	63 00
12,	do	April 25, 1835	87 50	22 50
13,	do	May 6, 1828	150 00	38 00
15,	Horace Brace,	May 27, 1828	300 00	75 00
16,	Jonathan Case,	May 27, 1828	300 00	75 00
17,	J. R. & J. Stafford,	Oct. 5, 1836	150 00	38 00
18,	Jeremiah Gates,	Oct. 5, 1836	110 00	27 00
19,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	145 00	36 00
20,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	150 00	37 00
21,	Jonathan Case,	Oct. 5, 1836	130 00	32 00
22,	James Lyon,	May 6, 1828	80 00	20 00
23,	Lewis Benedict,	May 6, 1828	185 00	46 00

VILLAGE OF OSWEGO FALLS—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	Asa Phillips,	Oct. 5, 1836	\$160 00	\$40 00
25,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	115 00	29 00
26,	Walton & De Graff,	Oct. 5, 1836	205 00	51 00
27,	Asa Phillips,	Oct. 5, 1836	140 00	35 00
28,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	170 00	42 00
29,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	130 00	32 00
30,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	130 00	32 00
31,	Lewis Benedict,	May 6, 1828	85 00	21 00
32,	Asa Phillips,	Oct. 5, 1836	75 00	18 00
33,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	85 00	21 00
34,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	95 00	24 00
35,	Lewis Benedict,	May 6, 1828	100 00	25 00
36,	Holmes Hutchinson,	Oct. 5, 1836	95 00	23 00
37,	Asa Phillips,	Oct. 5, 1836	100 00	25 00
38,	do	Oct. 5, 1836	85 00	21 00
39,	Jonathan Wheat,	Oct. 1, 1829	125 00	31 00
40,	Samuel Hart,	May 30, 1834	50 00	12 50
41,	George F. Falley,	Oct. 5, 1836	100 00	25 00
42,	Asa Phillips,	Oct. 5, 1836	100 00	25 00
43,	Lewis Benedict,	May 6, 1828	125 00	31 00
44,	Aaron G. Fish,	Oct. 27, 1834	50 00	13 00
45,	do	Oct. 27, 1834	47 50	11 50
46,	James Lyon,	May 6, 1828	80 00	11 20

47,	.....	.....	uo	.....	May	21, 1828	112 00	175 00	112 00	48 75
48,	.....	.....	do	.....	May	21, 1828	112 00	160 00	112 00	40 00
49,	.....	.....	do	.....	May	21, 1828	112 00	150 00	112 00	40 00
50,	.....	.....	Jonathan Case,	.....	May	21, 1828	112 00	140 00	112 00	35 00
51,	C. G. Rust,	May	21, 1828	112 00	130 00	112 00	33 00
52,	J. Wheat for W. H. Silsby,	May	21, 1828	112 00	65 00	112 00	65 00
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.....			18x30 ft.	<i>A lot in the village of Aurora, on which was erected a house for the confinement of David Williams.</i>						
<hr/>				<i>Canadian and Nova Scotia Refugee Tract.</i>						
Bet. small lots 114, 115, 116 and 117,....			53	James Valentine,.....						
<hr/>				<i>Stedman Farm on the Niagara River.</i>						
1,	.....	135	Philander Forbes,.....							
2,	.....	28	Augustus Porter,.....							
3,	.....	213	P. Forbes,.....							
4,	.....	208	do.....							
5,	.....	9	Henry W. Clark,.....							
6,	.....	9	Ambrose Thomas,.....							
7,	.....	9	James B. Ward,.....							
8,	.....	9	do.....							
9,	.....	9	Samuel De Veaux,.....							
10,	.....	13	do.....							
11,	.....	8	Augustus Porter,.....							
12,	.....	14	Samuel De Veaux,.....							

ESCREATED LANDS IN THE MILITARY TRACTS—*Military Townships.*

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Camillus.</i>			
97, sub. 4,...	50	J. W. Maynard,.....	July 8, 1828	\$860 00	\$215 00
97, do 7,...	4	Isaac Hill,.....	July 8, 1828	50 00	12 50
97, do 9,...	16	James R. Lawrence,	July 8, 1828	105 00	26 25
97, do 11, N.	6	J. W. Maynard,.....	July 8, 1828	37 00	9 25
97, do 11, S.	28	Simon Smith,	July 8, 1828	76 00	19 00
97, do 13,...	11	J. R. Lawrence,	July 8, 1828	80 00	20 00
97, do 15,...	23	do	July 8, 1828	90 00	22 50
		<i>Cicero.</i>			
68, do 2,...	82	Bishop Phelps,	July 8, 1828	320 00	80 00
68, do 3,...	172	Thomas Starr,.....	July 8, 1828	265 00	66 25
68, do 4,...	73	Bishop Phelps,	July 8, 1828	421 00	105 25
		<i>Fabius.</i>			
65, do 2,...	100	Joel Call,.....	Jan. 19, 1831	200 00	50 00
65, do 6,...	50	Elisha Cornwell,.....	Oct. 21, 1831	100 00	100 00
84, do 1,...	100	B. F. Williams,.....	July 8, 1828	140 00	35 00
84, do 2,...	100	Arabert B. Smith,	Jan. 14, 1833	251 18	62 18
84, do 3,...	100	Pool & Lester,	Dec. 14, 1830	113 03	28 26
84, do 4,...	100	A. B. Smith,.....	Nov. 13, 1832	200 94	50 00
84, do 5,...	95	do	Jan. 14, 1833	143 70	35 70

70, sub. 2,...	65	<i>Hannibal.</i>	Gad Daniels,.....	July	28, 1829	156 76	39 19
70, do 3,...	98		Frederick Bacon,.....	July	8, 1828	220 00	55 00
70, do 4,...	98		Harvey Baldwin,.....	July	8, 1828	218 00	54 50
46, do 1,...	12	<i>Lysander.</i>	George W. Brown,	July	28, 1829	56 63	14 00
67, do 1,...	101		Wm Jerome,.....	July	28, 1829	406 80	101 70
67, do 2,...	101		do	July	28, 1829	610 08	152 50
67, do 3,...	101		do	July	28, 1829	555 00	138 75
67, do 4,...	101		Henry Westfall,	July	28, 1829	455 61	113 91
67, do 5,...	103		Wm. Jerome,	July	28, 1829	517 75	129 44
83, do 12,...	$\frac{1}{4}$	<i>Pompey.</i>	Lebbeus Olcott,	July	28, 1829	3 00	3 00
E. side of Otter Lake, 98,	8	<i>Cato.</i>	Henry Furman,	July	15, 1828	36 00	9 00
30, sub. 2,...	283	<i>Cincinnati.</i>	Benjamin Wilson,	Dec.	14, 1830	708 00	177 00
45, do 1,...	151		Wm. Vredenburgh,.....	July	15, 1828	379 00	94 75
10, do 3,...	97	<i>Dryden.</i>	J. L. Woods,.....	July	15, 1828	147 00	36 75
68, do 1,...	100		Humphrey Howland,.....	July	15, 1828	100 00	25 00
68, do 2,...	100		Ellis & Shaw,	July	15, 1828	150 00	37 50
68, do 3,...	100		Joseph Thomas,	July	15, 1828	125 00	31 25
68, do 4,...	96		Ellis & Shaw,	July	15, 1828	111 00	27 75

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
68, sub. 5,...	143	Ellis & Shaw,	July 15, 1828	\$136 00	\$34 00
90, do 5,...	41	<i>Solon.</i>			
90, do 10,...	4	Henry S. Cotton,	July 15, 1828	104 42	26 00
		H. Howland,	July 15, 1828	12 32	3 08
58, do 1,...	84	<i>Virgil.</i>			
58, do 2,...	170	Samuel Herring,	July 15, 1828	200 00	50 00
58, do 3,...	30	Wm. Shapleigh,	July 15, 1828	342 00	85 50
58, do 7, B.	4	Joshua Farnham,	July 15, 1828	54 00	13 50
58, do 8,...	65	Artemus Glazier,	July 15, 1828	10 00	10 00
		Obadiah Walker,	July 15, 1828	126 00	31 50
10, do 2,...	205	<i>Junius.</i>			
10, do 3,...	134	Alfred Hovey,	July 15, 1828	668 00	167 00
10, do 4,...	134	W. S. De Zeng,	July 15, 1828	330 00	82 50
68, do 4,...	5	George Files,	July 15, 1828	380 00	95 00
68, do 10,...	63	W. S. De Zeng,	July 15, 1828	42 00	42 00
		Gardner Wells,	July 15, 1828	590 00	147 80
54, do 3,...	119	<i>Hector.</i>			
54, do 4,...	105	Jonathan Warner,	July 15, 1828	238 60	59 65
		J. M. Coddington,	July 15, 1828	300 00	75 00

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54,	do	5,	100	John Hager,	July	15, 1828	785 00	188 75
54,	do	6, N.,	40	Matthew Behan,	July	15, 1828	195 00	48 75
54,	do	6, S.,	60	do	July	15, 1828	300 00	75 00
72,	do	1,	96	Wm. Wickham,	July	15, 1828	680 00	170 00
72,	do	4,	126	Daniel D. Williams,	July	15, 1828	506 56	126 56
72,	do	5,	140	Phineas Bennett,	July	15, 1828	1,225 00	306 25
85,	do	3,	14	Major McIntyre,	July	15, 1828	85 00	21 25
85,	do	6,	17	Uzel M. Barker,	July	15, 1828	100 00	25 00
87,	do	7,	98	Aaron Stout,	Aug.	22, 1831	494 00	124 00
91,	do	4,	169	Hiram G. Gulick,	July	15, 1828	255 00	68 75
				<i>Homer.</i>				
89,	do	6,	54	Harvey McGraw,	July	15, 1828	148 00	87 00
				<i>Locke.</i>				
26,	do	2,	52	Henry Miller,	July	15, 1828	211 00	52 75
22,	do	3,	102	Freeman Barber,	April	7, 1848	411 08	102 77
22,	do	23,	177	Hiram Becker,	May	9, 1845	5 00	5 00
				<i>Milton.</i>				
90,	do	2,	8	Joel Tompkins,	July	15, 1828	85 00	21 25
90,	do	3,	30	Benjamin Drake,	July	15, 1828	190 00	190 00
90,	do	4,	105	Mary M. Smith,	July	15, 1828	747 80	187 00
90,	do	5,	36	John Collins,	July	15, 1828	705 00	176 25
90,	do	6,	160	John Koplin,	July	15, 1828	1,740 00	435 00
90,	do	7,	134	Henry Tester,	July	15, 1828	1,600 00	400 00
				<i>Ovid.</i>				
75,	do	1,	96	Nathaniel Fongles,	July	15, 1828	885 00	221 25

ESCHEATED LANDS IN THE MILITARY TRACTS — Military Townships — Ovid — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
75, sub. 3,...	178	Nicol Halsey,	July 15, 1828	\$1,790 00	\$448 00
57, do 4,...	25	<i>Sempronius.</i> Humphrey Howland,	July 15, 1828	87 00	21 75
57, do 8,...	24	Uzel M. Barker,	July 15, 1828	100 00	25 00
59, do 3,...	72	Joshua Bickford,	July 15, 1828	290 00	72 50
64, do 1,...	87	<i>Cato.</i> Eleazer Burnham,	July 15, 1828	400 00	100 00
64, do 3,...	102	Isaac Carnicrosse,	July 15, 1828	255 00	63 75
64, do 5,...	102	Eleazer Burnham,	July 15, 1828	250 00	62 50
42, do 14,...	48	<i>Escheated Lands in Military Townships—Locke.</i> Isaac Love,	July 15, 1828	455 00	113 75
44, do 9,...	50	James Hadlock,	July 15, 1828	190 00	47 50
44, do 10,...	50	Daniel J. Shaw,	July 15, 1828	200 00	50 00
15, do 2,...	28	<i>Solon.</i> Lyman Kingman,	July 15, 1828	88 00	22 00
74, do 6,...	60	<i>Fabius.</i> John Burrington,	Dec. 24, 1830	105 70	26 70
74, do 7,...	25	Jasper Frinch,	Jan. 27, 1830	75 00	18 75

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4, do 2,...	48	Peter Smith,.....	Jan.	26, 1830	193 28	49 28
9, do 2,...	338	Horatio N. Wood,.....	Aug.	11, 1835	507 55	126 55
9, do 3,...	140	do	Aug.	11, 1835	281 96	70 96
9, do 4,...	53	Chas. W. Turner,	Mar.	3, 1834	83 13	21 00
10, do 6,...	5	H. N. Wood,	May	12, 1836	15 00	15 00
24, do 3,...	22	Peter Smith,.....	.....	.....	90 40	23 40
28, S. E.,...	100	James Braidwood,.....	.....	.....	600 00	150 00
28,	50	and Andrew Dugan,.....	.....	.....	400 00	100 00
29, S. E.,...	100	Peter Smith,.....	Jan.	26, 1830	350 00	88 00
33, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan.	26, 1830	135 84	34 84
35, S. E.,...	33	do	Jan.	26, 1830	637 96	159 96
36, sub. 3,...	141	do	Jan.	26, 1830	400 00	100 00
39, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan.	26, 1830	422 00	106 00
50, sub. 4,...	105	do	Jan.	26, 1830	312 12	78 12
55, S. E.,...	78	do	Jan.	26, 1830	282 55	71 55
56, sub. 3,...	56	do	Jan.	26, 1830	400 00	100 00
58, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan.	26, 1830	400 00	100 00
59, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan.	26, 1830	345 66	86 66
68, sub. 3,...	115	do	Jan.	26, 1830	250 00	63 00
70, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan.	26, 1830	331 64	83 64
73, sub. 3,...	82	do	Jan.	26, 1830	511 12	128 12
76, do 4,...	127	do	Jan.	26, 1830	68 32	17 32
76, do 5,...	17	do	Jan.	26, 1830	470 92	117 92
78, do 2,...	134	do	Jan.	26, 1830	378 04	94 51
78, do 3,...	84	Ebenezer Fitch,	Jan.	26, 1830	538 20	135 20
78, do 4,...	134	Peter Smith,.....	Jan.	26, 1830	336 37	84 37
78, do 5,...	134	Thos. Armstrong,	Jan.	26, 1830	231 28	58 28
79, do 2,...	57	Peter Smith,.....	Jan.	26, 1830		

ESCHEATED LANDS IN THE MILITARY TRACTS — Military Townships — Sterling — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
79, sub. 4,...	127	Peter Smith,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	\$509 20	\$128 20
79, do 5,...	100	do	Jan. 26, 1830	360 00	90 00
80, do 2,...	163	David Groat,	Jan. 26, 1830	612 97	153 25
80, do 3,...	105	Peter Smith,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	210 80	52 80
80, do 4,...	57	Nathan Cuddeback,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	178 24	178 24
80, do 5,...	165	Elias Gumair,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	726 26	181 56
83, S. E.,...	50	Welcome Cole,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	250 00	175 00
89, S. E.,...	100	Peter Smith,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	450 00	113 00
91, S. E.,...	100	Seymour Titus,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	450 00	112 50
94, sub. 3,...	104	Peter Smith,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	522 05	131 05
95, S. E.,...	100	do	Jan. 26, 1830	250 00	63 00
96, sub. 3,...	151	do	Jan. 26, 1830	757 10	190 10
97, do 4,...	75	do	Jan. 26, 1830	375 15	94 15
97, do 5,...	105	Hiram Blass,	Jan. 26, 1830	474 16	118 54
97, do 6,...	100	Peter Wendover,	Jan. 26, 1830	450 13	113 13
97, do 7,...	70	Joseph B. Cook,.....	Jan. 26, 1830	405 89	101 89
97, do 8,...	50	do	Jan. 26, 1830	206 65	65 65
100, S. E.,...	63	John Mosher, ..	Jan. 26, 1830	285 03	72 03
5, sub. 2,...	19	Peter Smith,.....	April 30, 1833	78 00	19 00
5, do 3,...	23	do	April 30, 1833	115 00	29 00
5, do 4,...	34	do	April 30, 1833	170 00	42 00
87, S. E.,...	50	Thos. Armstrong,.....	May 1, 1834	200 00	50 00

21,	100	Abijah Beebe,	Feb.	16, 1832	100 00	25 00
22,	100	do	Feb.	16, 1832	100 00	25 00
23,	100	do	Feb.	16, 1832	100 00	25 00
<i>Oneida Castleton, Breeze's Survey.</i>						
1,	1 ⁵ ₁₀	Elisha M. Sage,	Jan.	14, 1834	28 00	7 00
2,	7	Ira S. Hitchcock,	Jan.	14, 1834	352 00	88 00
3,	7	do	Jan.	14, 1834	360 00	90 00
4,	11	do	Jan.	14, 1834	350 00	88 00
5,	22	do	Jan.	14, 1834	250 00	63 00
6,	13	do	Jan.	14, 1834	250 00	63 00
7,	14	do	Jan.	14, 1834	351 00	88 00
8,	7	do	Jan.	14, 1834	360 00	90 00
9,	23	do	Jan.	14, 1834	211 00	53 00

VILLAGE OF LEWISTON.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Out Lots</i>			
31,	11	Benjamin Barton,	Feb. 13, 1834	\$215 00	\$53 75
32,	9	do	Feb. 13, 1834	230 00	57 50
33,	6	do	Feb. 13, 1834	265 00	63 75
34,	6	do	Feb. 13, 1834	205 00	51 25
35,	7	do	Feb. 13, 1834	255 00	63 75
36,	7	do	Feb. 13, 1834	225 00	56 25
37,	9	T. S. Morgan,	Feb. 13, 1834	275 00	68 75
38,	6	Seymour Scoville,	Feb. 13, 1834	180 00	45 00
39,	6	James Kidd,	Feb. 13, 1834	120 00	30 00
40,	8	Leonard Shepard,	Feb. 13, 1834	207 00	51 75
41,	6	T. S. Morgan,	Feb. 13, 1834	195 00	48 75
42,	7	Peter Smith,	Feb. 13, 1834	155 00	38 75
43,	9	Seymour Scoville,	Feb. 13, 1834	130 00	32 50
44,	8	do	Feb. 13, 1834	135 00	33 75
45,	8	do	Feb. 13, 1834	205 00	51 25
46,	8	do	Feb. 13, 1834	250 00	62 50
47,	2	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Feb. 13, 1834	40 00	10 00
48,	23	Jacob Townsend,	Feb. 13, 1834	180 00	45 00
49,	13	Joel McCollum,	Feb. 13, 1834	75 00	18 75
50,	5	Seymour Scoville,	Feb. 13, 1834	125 00	31 25
51,	9	do	Feb. 13, 1834	195 00	48 75
52,	10	do	Feb. 13, 1834	135 00	33 75

53, sub. 1,...	3	Geo. P. Files,.....	Sept. 16, 1857	525 00	131 25
53, do 2,...	2	Cynthia Scoville,.....	Sept. 16, 1857	65 00	65 00
53, do 3,...	2	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Sept. 16, 1857	230 00	57 50
53, do 4,...	4	Geo. P. Files,.....	Sept. 16, 1857	891 00	222 75
53, do 5,...	3	Calvin Hotchkiss,	Sept. 16, 1857	250 00	62 50
53, do 6,...	^{5,4} 106	Geo. P. Philes,.....	Sept. 16, 1857	341 00	85 25
Ferry Lots.					
1,.....	.....	Water Lots.			
2,.....	.....	Amos S. Tryon,.....			
3,.....	.....	Henry L. Franklin,.....			
4,.....	.....	See act May 11, 1835, and chap. 147 of 1829, patented September 30, 1835.			
5,.....	.....	Leonard Shepard,.....			
6,.....	.....	do			
7,.....	.....	T. S. Morgan,.....			
8,.....	.....	.....	
		Amos S. Tryon,.....	Sept. 15, 1830	100 00	25 00
		Henry L. Franklin,.....	Oct. 7, 1830	100 00	25 00
		Leonard Shepard,.....	Feb. 13, 1834	160 00	40 00
		do	Feb. 13, 1834	160 00	40 00
		T. S. Morgan,.....	Feb. 13, 1834	100 00	25 00

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Lot.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	L. & S. D. W. Bloodgood,	Nov. 15, 1831	\$580 00	\$145 00
2,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	525 00	132 00
3,	Gilbert De Voe,	Nov. 15, 1831	595 00	149 00
4,	L. & S. D. W. Bloodgood,	Nov. 15, 1831	405 00	102 00
5,	Gilbert De Voe,	Nov. 15, 1831	275 00	69 00
6,	Samuel P. Smith,	Nov. 15, 1831	270 00	68 00
7,	Charles E. Dudley,	Nov. 15, 1831	210 00	53 00
8,	Alanson D. Abel,	Nov. 15, 1831	210 00	53 00
9,	John T. Cooper,	Nov. 15, 1831	220 00	55 00
10,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
11,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
12,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
13,	Elvira Parsells,	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
14,	John M. Newton,	Nov. 15, 1831	225 00	225 00
15,	W. W. Crannell,	Nov. 15, 1831	220 00	55 00
16,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	235 00	59 00
17,	L. & S. D. W. Bloodgood,	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
18,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	235 00	59 00
19,	Cornelius Turner,	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
20,	Gilbert De Voe,	Nov. 15, 1831	235 00	59 00
21,	John T. Cooper,	Nov. 15, 1831	235 00	59 00
22,	do	Nov. 15, 1831	230 00	58 00
23,	Gilbert De Voe,	Nov. 15, 1831	235 00	59 00

24,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	235 00	59 00
25,	.....	James F. Whitney,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	230 00	58 00
26,	.....	Gilbert De Voe,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	245 00	62 00
27,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	560 00	140 00
28,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	490 00	123 00
29,	.....	Charles E. Dudley,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	480 00	120 00
30,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	480 00	120 00
31,	.....	Gilbert De Voe,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	480 00	120 00
32,	.....	Charles E. Dudley,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	775 00	194 00
33,	.....	Gilbert De Voe,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
34,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
35,	.....	Wm. Osborne,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	245 00	60 00
36,	.....	Jacob H. Ten Eyck,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	240 00	60 00
37,	.....	John Jenkins,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	250 00	250 00
38,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	250 00	250 00
39,	.....	Lemuel P. Hand,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	255 00	64 00
40,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	250 00	63 00
41,	.....	L. & S. D. W. Bloodgood,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
42,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
43,	.....	Lemuel P. Hand,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
44,	.....	James G. Young,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	280 00	70 00
45,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	295 00	74 00
46,	.....	John F. Porter,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	290 00	74 00
47,	.....	Gilbert De Voe,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	295 00	74 00
48,	.....	Charles Chapman,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	290 00	73 00
49,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	290 00	73 00
50,	.....	Casparus F. Pruyn,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	295 00	295 00
51,	.....	Gilbert De Voe,	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	330 00	83 00
52,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	15, 1881	320 00	80 00

WHITE FACE MOUNTAIN TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	1,498	Hazard & Fitzgerald,	July 25, 1832	\$149 87	\$37 87
2,	1,283	do	July 25, 1832	154 01	37 87
3,	1,498	Peter Smith,	May 20, 1835	149 87	37 87
4,	2,131	do	May 20, 1835	255 82	63 82
5,	2,131	Hazard & Fitzgerald,	July 25, 1832	319 77	79 77
6,	1,498	do	July 25, 1832	179 84	44 84
<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, Township No. 24.</i>					
2,	420	Moses Harris,	Dec. 17, 1838	420 00	105 00
17,	420	James Henderson,	May 30, 1839	110 00	28 00
18,	420	Shadrach Mead,	June 21, 1839	105 00	105 00
37, sub. 1, ..	52	Joseph Hotchkiss,	May 30, 1839	55 33	15 33
37, do 2, ..	68	John Agard,	May 30, 1839	72 87	18 87
37, do 3, ..	90	Thomas Smith,	May 30, 1839	82 47	20 47
37, do 4, ..	6	Joshua Collar,	May 30, 1839	6 36	6 36
37, do 5, ..	6	Seba Higley,	May 30, 1839	6 84	6 84
37, do 6, ..	7	Joshua Collar,	May 30, 1839	12 01	12 01
38, N. part, ..	180	Calvin Burge,	May 30, 1839	180 00	45 00
43, S. part, ..	100	George Brailey,	May 30, 1839	75 00	19 00
43, 2d part, ..	100	Eleanor Foster,	May 30, 1839	75 00	25 00
43, 3d part, ..	100	David Vanderwerker,	May 30, 1839	65 00	20 00
43, N. part, ..	120	Charles Quackenboss,	May 30, 1839	60 00	60 00

54,	280	R. M. Lawrence,	May 5, 1837	110 00	110 00
54, N. part, ..	42	Geo. Brailey, .....	.....	42 00	11 00
		<i>Townships Nos. 10 and 29.</i>			
Estimated, ..	8,900	Andrew K. Morehouse,	Nov. 12, 1841	801 00	201 00

GORE ALONG REFUGEE AND OLD MILITARY TRACTS.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	211	Amasa C. Moore,	Aug. 16, 1834	\$42 30	\$10 57
2,	159	do	Aug. 16, 1834	79 80	19 95
3,	180	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	21 60	5 60
4,	152	do	Nov. 4, 1833	16 72	4 72
5,	172	do	Nov. 4, 1833	29 27	7 27
6,	176	do	Nov. 4, 1833	65 26	16 26
7,	176	do	Nov. 4, 1833	72 32	18 32
8,	176	do	Nov. 4, 1833	65 26	16 26
9,	185	do	Nov. 4, 1833	55 75	13 75
10,	176	do	Nov. 4, 1833	94 49	23 49
11,	191	do	Nov. 4, 1833	86 27	22 27
12,	176	do	Nov. 4, 1833	142 88	35 88
13,	183	do	Nov. 4, 1833	91 60	23 60
14,	168	Granted to R. & S. Livingston,	May 3, 1850		
15,	187	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	106 74	26 74
16,	150	Barnes & Dent,	Aug. 8, 1835	300 00	150 00
17,	189	Wm. Lawrence,	July 12, 1832	189 23	47 23
18,	193	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	94 67	23 67
19, remaind'r,	19	do	Nov. 4, 1833	20 37	5 37
20, remaind'r,	70	Benjamin Moores,	Aug. 16, 1834	71 00	18 00
21,	136	do	Aug. 16, 1834	165 00	41 00
22, remaind'r,	10	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1888	2 62	2 62
23,	291	do	Nov. 4, 1888	61 15	15 15

24,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	67 98	16 98
25,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	36 40	9 40
26,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	39 03	10 03
27,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	41 86	10 86
28,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	46 12	11 12
29,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	52 33	13 33
30,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	28 50	7 50
31,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
32,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	33 60	8 60
33,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	22 40	5 40
34,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	31 97	7 97
35,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	53 94	13 94
36,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	69 60	17 60
37,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	57 92	14 92
38,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	49 68	12 68
39,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	58 88	14 88
40,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	75 25	19 25
41,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	40 00	10 00
42,	.....	Reserved by chap. 263, Laws of 1829.					
43,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	43 75	10 75
44,	.....	Cady & Bloore,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	350 00	87 50
45,	.....	do	.....	.....	.....	605 00	151 25
46,	.....	Samuel C. Weed,	.....	Aug.	13, 1832	122 50	30 50
47,	.....	Cady & Bloore,	.....	.....	.....	150 00	37 50
48,	.....	do	.....	.....	.....	375 00	93 75
49,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	31 50	8 50
50,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	34 00	9 00
51,	.....	do	.....	Nov.	4, 1833	34 00	9 00
52,	.....	Samuel C. Weed,	.....	Aug.	13, 1832	70 00	17 50

GORE ALONG REFUGEE AND OLD MILITARY TRACTS — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
53,	200	Henry W. Hilliker, . . . . .	. . . . .	\$100 00	\$25 00
54,	200	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1833	30 00	8 00
55,	175	do	Nov. 4, 1833	38 50	9 50
56,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	40 00	10 00
57,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
58,	154	do	Nov. 4, 1833	27 72	7 72
59,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	32 00	8 00
60,	200	Heman Cady,	Oct. 24, 1835	120 00	80 00
61,	175	do	Oct. 24, 1835	105 00	26 00
62,	175	do	Oct. 24, 1835	105 60	26 60
63,	176	do	Oct. 24, 1835	105 60	26 60
64,	152	do	Oct. 24, 1835	91 52	22 52
65,	152	do	Oct. 24, 1835	91 52	22 52
66,	200	Jehiel Beardsley, 2d, . . . . .	. . . . .	401 00	100 00
67,	198	Weaver & Hazen, . . . . .	. . . . .	496 00	124 00
68,	124	Alanson B. Vaughan, . . . . .	. . . . .	249 00	62 00
<i>Two strips of land, unallotted, between the Refugee Tract and the east line of Richard's Survey, in above gore.</i>					
1st piece,	496	John Crowley,	Jan. 10, 1867	347 20	325 00
2d piece,	196	do	Jan. 10, 1867	137 20	100 00

CANADIAN AND NOVA SCOTIA REFUGEE TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
249,	500	Peter Smith,	Feb. 8, 1833	\$500 00	\$125 00
252, except 29 acres N. W.,	500	Heman Cady,	Aug. 11, 1831	354 00	88 50
10,	333	do	Aug. 11, 1831	166 50	41 63

VILLAGE OF BLACK ROCK.

Block.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
205, 214,	Erastus Sparrow and David Burt,	June 22, 1835	\$3,700 00	\$925 00
	<i>Surrendered by Act, Chap. 345, of 1849.</i>			
205,	Harris, Barnes & Driggs,	May 30, 1850	900 00	450 00
214,	Charles Manly,	May 30, 1850	575 00	144 00
206,	Sparrow & Burt,	June 22, 1835	930 00	230 00
206,	Hugh McMillan,	May 30, 1850	715 00	357 50
207,	Zebulon Ketchum,	June 22, 1835	450 00	110 00
208,	M. F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	350 00	90 00
209,	do	June 22, 1835	360 00	90 00
210,	do	June 22, 1835	440 00	110 00
211,	do	June 22, 1835	380 00	95 00
212,	John McDermott,	June 22, 1835	520 00	130 00
213,	Sparrow & Burt,	June 22, 1835	960 00	240 00
213,	Gibson T. Williams,	May 30, 1850	600 00	600 00
215, 220,	Sparrow & Burt,	June 22, 1835	2,550 00	640 00
215,	Wm. A. Sutton,	May 30, 1850	680 00	340 00
220,	Le Roy Farnham,	May 30, 1850	450 00	225 00
216,	Zebulon Ketchum,	June 22, 1835	520 00	130 00
217,	John Culbert,	June 22, 1835	630 00	160 00
218,	do	June 22, 1835	510 00	130 00
219,	Sparrow & Burt,	June 22, 1835	1,150 00	290 00
219,	Charles Manly,	May 30, 1850	450 00	150 00

221, 222, reserving 66 ft. for Division street, ..	Wm. H. Lacy,	June 22, 1835	15 00	15 00
223,	M. F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	670 00	170 00
224,	Valleau & Allen,	June 22, 1835	480 00	120 00
225,	James Haggart,	June 22, 1835	810 00	210 00
226,	M. F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	900 00	220 00
227,	Zebulon Ketchum,	June 22, 1835	570 00	140 00
228,	M. F. Johnson,	June 22, 1835	660 00	160 00
229,	Searle & Goodrich,	June 22, 1835	750 00	190 00
230,	Alanson Palmer,	June 22, 1835	650 00	160 00
231,	Elisha A. Maynard,	June 22, 1835	990 00	250 00
232,	Wm. B. Bolles,	June 22, 1835	2,010 00	510 00
233,	Alanson Palmer,	June 22, 1835	1,660 00	420 00

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33	<i>An Island in the Seneca River, between Lots 39 and 51 — Brutus.</i>			
19 acres,	Amos Underwood,	July 1, 1840	112 00	112 00

LOTS ALONG WOOD CREEK RESERVATION.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
1,	22	Oct.	1, 1835	\$77 00	\$77 00
2,	45	Oct.	1, 1835	171 56	171 56
3,	94	Oct.	1, 1835	353 40	88 40
4,	78	Oct.	1, 1835	292 87	73 87
5,	36	Oct.	1, 1835	156 91	39 91
6,	23	Oct.	1, 1835	138 00	36 00
7, E. part, ..	11	Oct.	1, 1835	65 40	65 40
7, W. part, ..	7	Oct.	1, 1835	34 20	34 20
8, E. part, ..	12	Oct.	1, 1835	310 42	77 42
8, W. part, ..	58				
9,	99	Oct.	1, 1835	398 40	99 40
10,	31	Oct.	1, 1835	150 91	37 91
11,	44	Oct.	1, 1835	201 06	51 06
12,	22	Oct.	1, 1835	113 09	28 09
13, E. part, ..	37	Sept.	2, 1835	170 10	42 10
13, W. part, ..	25	Sept.	7, 1835	102 00	26 00
14,	104	Oct.	1, 1835	550 04	550 04
15,	49	Oct.	1, 1835	261 03	62 05
16, E. part, ..	74	Oct.	1, 1835	767 30	191 30
16, W. part, ..	79				
17,	44	Oct.	1, 1835	235 30	59 30
18,	92	Oct.	1, 1835	484 31	121 31
N. of creek, ..	2	Oct.	1, 1835	15 54	15 54

19,.....	25	Asa Gifford,.....	Oct.	1, 1885	181 67	32 67
20,.....	40	{ Mary Ann Smith, wife of Ransom Smith,.....	Oct.	1, 1885	190 00	48 00
21,.....	120	{ Eliza Ann Jackson,.....	Oct.	1, 1835	362 64	91 64
22,.....	150	{ and Cyrene Scott, wife of John Scott,.....	Oct.	1, 1835	451 38	112 38
		<i>Island adjoining No. 4.</i>				
2		Maria Humaston,.....	Aug.	81, 1835	10 50	10 50

OXBOW TRACT.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
251,	177	David Woolworth (see L. O.),	Nov. 6, 1833	\$88 86	\$44 43
252,	177	Andrew K. Morehouse,	Feb. 20, 1834	44 43	35 54
253,	177	do	Feb. 20, 1834	35 54	35 54
254,	177	do	Feb. 20, 1834	35 54	30 27
255,	235	do	Feb. 20, 1834	30 27	41 88
256,	418	do	Feb. 20, 1834	41 88	28 15
257,	225	do	Feb. 20, 1834	28 15	33 77
258,	225	do	Feb. 20, 1834	33 77	45 03
259,	225	do	Feb. 20, 1834	45 03	14 29
260,	225	Joseph Lewis,	Nov. 26, 1833	56 29	22 06
261,	225	do	Nov. 26, 1833	90 06	22 06
262,	225	do	Nov. 26, 1833	90 06	45 03
263,	225	Andrew K. Morehouse,	Feb. 20, 1834	45 03	33 77
264,	225	do	Feb. 20, 1834	33 77	33 77
265,	225	do	Feb. 20, 1834	33 77	35 57
266,	355	do	Feb. 20, 1834	35 57	35 13
267,	351	do	Feb. 20, 1834	35 13	44 85
268,	179	do	Feb. 20, 1834	44 85	44 85
269,	179	do	Feb. 20, 1834	44 85	22 70
270,	179	Joseph Lewis,	Nov. 26, 1833	89 70	22 70
271,	179	do	Nov. 26, 1833	89 70	44 85
272,	179	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb. 20, 1834	44 85	65 14
273,	248	do	Feb. 20, 1834	65 14	62 50
274,	248	Martin Klock (L. O.), . . . . .	. . . . .	248 25	81 12
275,	248	do . . . . .	. . . . .	124 12	

276,	Rensl'r Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	69 65	17 65
277,	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb.	20, 1834	69 65	17 41
278,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	69 65	17 41
279,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	95 15	21 15
280,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	81 85	20 55
281,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	53 20	53 20
282,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	35 47	35 47
283,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	35 47	35 47
284,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	35 47	35 47
285,	Martin Klock (L. O.), .....	.....	.....	70 93	17 93
286,	do .....	.....	.....	47 29	12 29
287,	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb.	20, 1834	53 20	53 20
288,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	52 39	52 39
289,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	52 39	52 39
290,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	52 39	52 39
291,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	34 93	34 93
292,	Rensl'r Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	34 93	34 93
293,	Putnam & Marshall,	Mar.	16, 1835	23 28	23 28
294,	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb.	20, 1834	34 93	34 93
295,	Allen Murphy,	June	8, 1835	96 00	24 00
296,	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb.	20, 1834	60 48	60 48
297,	Allen Murphy,	June	8, 1835	71 85	17 85
298,	Robert Howson,	Jan.	14, 1835	71 85	17 85
299,	Rensl'r Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	35 25	35 25
300,	A. K. Morehouse,	Feb.	20, 1834	35 25	35 25
301,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	44 90	44 90
302,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	44 90	44 90
303,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	44 90	44 90
304,	do	Feb.	20, 1834	68 87	17 87

RE-SALES OF 1830.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Benson Township.</i>			
107,	160	Peter Smith,	Mar. 26, 1832	\$73 67	\$18 67
171,	160	Enoch Jacobs,	Nov. 6, 1835	91 34	22 34
362,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 21, 1831	16 99	16 99
		<i>Black Rock.</i>			
Bl'k 33, .....	.....	Lucius Storrs,	June 7, 1830	235 13	58 78
do 34, N. $\frac{1}{3}$, .....	.....	do	June 7, 1830	140 84	35 21
do 34, M. $\frac{1}{3}$, .....	.....	do	June 7, 1830	152 57	38 15
do 34, S. $\frac{1}{3}$, .....	.....	do	June 7, 1830	134 35	36 09
do 146, N. $\frac{1}{3}$, .....	.....	Samuel Russell,	Sept. 6, 1831	149 64	37 50
		<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>			
90,	160	Peter Smith,	Nov. 4, 1830	96 49	26 49
142,	160	Joseph Russell,	June 10, 1833	101 64	22 64
216,	160	Peter Smith,	June 10, 1833	52 80	12 80
		<i>Bullwagga Bay.</i>			
2,	106	Samuel Buck,	June 7, 1830	139 08	30 08
		<i>Crumhorn Mountain.</i>			
6,	47	Harvey C. Jewell,	Jan. 28, 1832	108 02	27 02
24,	202	Charles Morey,	May 12, 1831	419 28	109 28

186,.....	197	<i>Essex Tract.</i> Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	55 00	55 00
1, A,	163	<i>Gore between Hoffman Township and Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.</i> J. H. Van Benthuysen,.....	May 8, 1845	300 00	75 00
1,.....	53	<i>Gore between Varick & Bells' Patent, and N. W. part of Oneida Reservation.</i> Thomas W. Bebee,.....	June 8, 1830	229 85	57 00
13,.....	224	<i>Gore between Township 11, Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, and Dartmouth Patent.</i> Keirsted & Osborne,.....	Feb. 6, 1833	83 06	20 06
6, F,.....	171	<i>Gore south of Schroon Lake.</i> Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	95 00	24 00
7,.....	238	<i>Gore in Duerville.</i> Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	238 00	59 00
52,.....	185	<i>Hague Tract.</i> Chas. Harris,	Jan. 16, 1832	129 07	32 07
55,.....	160	do	Nov. 5, 1835	112 75	28 75
56,.....	160	Chas. Roberts,	Feb. 19, 1833	78 29	20 00
62,.....	178	Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	122 00	30 00

RE-SALES OF 1830 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>			
1,.....	145	James Green,.....	Jan. 8, 1831	\$62 75	\$15 75
11,.....	86	John A. Lee,.....	.....	50 07	12 52
30,.....	134	Peter Whitney,.....	Nov. 22, 1832	36 56	9 56
65,.....	146	do.....	Nov. 22, 1832	47 50	12 00
68,.....	→151	Joseph Stacy,.....	Nov. 20, 1832	84 06	21 06
		<i>Carleton Island in River St. Lawrence.</i>			
8,.....	104	Chas. Smythe,.....	Nov. 21, 1833	452 09	113 09
		<i>Jay Tract.</i>			
52,.....	497	Reuben Sanford,.....	June 8, 1830	109 75	27 44
132,.....	61	David Peck,.....	June 8, 1830	29 66	7 42
		<i>Fabius.</i>			
84,.....	100	James C. Hickok,.....	Dec. 26, 1832	232 43	58 11
		<i>New Stockbridge, East Hill Tract.</i>			
44, W. part,	25	Orsamus Pratt,.....	June 8, 1830	225 00	56 25
		<i>North River Head Tract.</i>			
21,.....	160	E. F. Williams,.....	July 14, 1835	44 23	44 23
84,.....	155	Dudley Farland,.....	Jan. 19, 1833	52 77	13 77
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48,.....	160	E. F. Williams,	July 14, 1835	64 42	14 42
58,.....	160	do	July 14, 1835	98 21	28 21
64,.....	154	Judd & Simons,.....	Oct. 28, 1840	30 55	30 55
66,.....	160	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	64 00	14 00
67,.....	160	Willis Gates,.....	Oct. 2, 1834	76 47	20 00
68,.....	160	do	Sept. 8, 1834	51 98	13 00
76,.....	160	do	Oct. 2, 1834	60 00	15 00
104,.....	160	E. F. Williams,	June 15, 1836	20 00	20 00
138,.....	205	do	June 15, 1836	103 00	26 00
<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>					
114,.....	176	Peter Smith,.....	Dec. 31, 1833	5 30	5 30
120,.....	161	do	Dec. 31, 1833	6 45	6 45
<i>Windsor, 2d Tract.</i>					
21,.....	74	James Dougherty,	July 9, 1842	130 90	32 73
<i>Windsor, 3d Tract.</i>					
8,.....	89	Sebastian Comstock,	May 13, 1841	161 52	40 00
<i>St. Regis Reservation, Farm Lots.</i>					
14, S.W. part	52	Benjamin Knowler,.....	June 8, 1830	195 23	195 23
<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>					
9,.....	188	Peter Smith,.....	Oct. 28, 1833	9 41	2 41
11,.....	293	do	Oct. 28, 1833	11 72	2 72
23,.....	276	do	Oct. 28, 1833	8 28	2 28
31,.....	385	Thomas Wright,.....	June 24, 1831	89 73	22 44
34		265			

RE-SALES OF 1830 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Old Military Tract—Townships 1 and 2, Richard's Survey.</i>			
13,	64	Peter Smith,	Oct. 10, 1831	\$58 04	\$14 04
15,	350	do	April 13, 1832	196 35	50 35
38,	791	do	Mar. 7, 1835	178 93	43 98
45,	256	Ezra Kent,	Feb. 11, 1831	134 02	36 00
90,	1,512	Peter Smith,	Oct. 9, 1833	119 97	29 97
		<i>Township No. 11.</i>			
4,	160	Jesse Buell,	June 8, 1830	27 00	27 00
5,	160	Peter Smith,	Sept. 10, 1832	74 00	18 50
29,	160	do	Sept. 10, 1832	40 17	10 17
50,	160	do	May 13, 1833	17 76	4 76
157,	200	do	Nov. 4, 1833	34 00	9 00
239,	160	do	May 20, 1835	53 77	53 77
240,	160	do	June 8, 1833	39 28	9 28
298,	160	do	Nov. 21, 1832	46 11	11 11
		<i>Township 12, North Division, Thorn's Survey.</i>			
85,	160	Peter Smith,	June 8, 1830	64 45	16 45
116,	160	do	Nov. 28, 1833	149 92	87 92

131,	93	<i>Oneida Reservation.</i>	S. S. Breese,	June 8, 1830	255 96	63 99
10, block 17,	.....	<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>	Morris C. Graves,	Aug. 24, 1832	51 22	14 09
11, do 17,	.....		do	Aug. 24, 1832	61 91	15 91
20,	337	<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>	Seth Wetmore,	June 8, 1830	64 75	16 19
45,	154		Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	15 49	15 49
93,	154		do	Jan. 22, 1836	15 50	15 50
94,	155		do	Jan. 22, 1836	15 50	15 50
115,	155		do	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
143,	155		do	Mar. 17, 1835	51 61	12 90
176,	152		Taken by Seth Wetmore for roads.			
203,	155		Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
204,	155		Roads.			
205,	155		do			
209,	155		do			
217,	155		Peter Smith,	Oct. 30, 1833	17 22	4 22
225,	374		Rensselaer Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	37 50	37 50
226,	633		do	Jan. 22, 1836	126 60	31 60
220,	160	<i>Paradox Tract.</i>	Otis Clapp,	Sept. 8, 1830	54 68	13 00
399,	12		do	Sept. 8, 1830	23 68	6 00
3,	208	<i>Peru Bay Tract.</i>	Joseph Call,	Sept. 14, 1833	101 66	25 00

RE-SALES OF 1830 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2,	30	<i>Marsh Lots in Town of Putnam.</i> Henry Chase,	April 25, 1831	\$19 58	\$5 00
2,	243	<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i> E. F. Williams,	June 15, 1836	113 00	28 00
3,	345	Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	87 00	22 00
18,	324	Leonard G. Ross,	Sept. 10, 1835	112 58	28 58
19,	240	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	101 00	25 00
22,	102	L. N. & W. R. Morris,	June 16, 1836	52 00	52 00
83,	271	do	June 16, 1836	61 00	11 00
31,	160	<i>Schroon Tract.</i> Horace Howe,	Nov. 17, 1831	388 89	97 89
150,	95	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> Peter Whitney,	Oct. 8, 1832	31 55	7 13

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
58,	71	<i>Crumhorn Mountain Tract.</i> Nathaniel Rose,	Dec. 21, 1831	\$188 66	\$47 66
216,	160	<i>Essex Tract.</i> Samuel Murray,	Oct. 8, 1835	67 95	17 00
226,	195	Peter Smith,	Sept. 14, 1831	86 00	22 00
244,	182	do	Sept. 14, 1831	68 00	17 00
5,	224	<i>Gore adjoining Duerville.</i> Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	225 00	56 00
6,	234	do	June 15, 1836	234 00	58 00
50,	150	<i>Hague Tract.</i> Luther Andrews,	Sept. 14, 1831	67 00	17 00
51,	160	do	Sept. 14, 1831	89 00	23 00
63,	127	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> Peter Smith,	Sept. 8, 1832	88 88	22 88
147,	144	<i>Luzerne Tract.</i> Peletiah Richards,	Jan. 23, 1832	169 98	42 98

RE-SALES OF 1831 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
77,.....	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i>	June 15, 1836	\$80 00	\$20 00
44,.....	200	<i>Old Military Tract, Township No. 10.</i>			
91,.....	168	Wm. Newton,	Sept. 14, 1831	99 00	25 00
123,.....	200	Peter Smith,.....	Nov. 6, 1832	49 00	13 00
131,.....	200	Wilson & Lund,.....	.....	166 95	41 95
		Peter Smith,.....	Nov. 6, 1832	40 00	10 00
33,.....	160	<i>Township No. 11.</i>			
37,.....	200	Peter Smith,.....	Sept. 14, 1831	56 00	14 00
302,.....	120	do	May 13, 1833	47 87	11 87
		Elisha Marsh, .....	.....	23 00	23 00
23,.....	348	<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>			
24,.....	351	P. R. Halsted,	June 15, 1836	180 00	45 00
70,.....	315	Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	88 00	22 00
		do	April 18, 1832	136 54	34 04
13,.....	348	<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>			
38,.....	200	Peter Smith,.....	Oct. 18, 1833	17 36	4 36
		do	Oct. 18, 1833	8 00	2 00

<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>									
57,	155	R. Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	46 50	46 50			
73,	155	Peter Smith,	Oct.	30, 1833	84 19	21 19			
171,	155	S. Van Rensselaer,	Sept.	1, 1834	47 09	12 09			
181,	217	Peter Smith, .....	.....	.....	89 00	23 00			
195,	154	R. Van Rensselaer,	Aug.	9, 1834	91 45	23 45			
206,	142	Richard Bentley,	Aug.	20, 1833	34 76	8 76			
208,	155	R. Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	77 50	19 50			
224,	196	B. R. & H. Jewell,	Mar.	4, 1833	70 20	18 20			
227,	640	R. Van Rensselaer,	Jan.	22, 1836	128 00	32 00			
229,	640	A. K. Morehouse,	Nov.	18, 1835	64 00	64 00			
<i>Warrensburgh Tract.</i>									
15,	176	Peter Smith,	Sept.	14, 1831	78 00	20 00			
16,	160	do	Sept.	14, 1831	67 00	17 00			
<i>Tract west of Road Patents.</i>									
41,	159	Peter Smith,	Dec.	21, 1831	71 33	18 33			
44,	160	Webster & Beekman,	Feb.	7, 1835	48 48	12 48			
65,	127	Peter Smith,	Dec.	21, 1831	92 32	23 32			
121,	156	George Webster,	Dec.	24, 1834	102 16	25 16			
<i>Windsor, 2d Tract.</i>									
23,	74	Thomas McKernan,	Oct.	4, 1844	218 71	218 71			
<i>Windsor, 3d Tract.</i>									
10,	74	S. Comstock,	Mar.	5, 1841	156 95	39 26			

RE-SALES OF 1831 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
4,	116	<i>Windsor, West Tract.</i> Cyrenus Howe,	June 8, 1835	\$215 36	\$53 36
22,	101	<i>St. Regis Reservation — Farm Lots.</i> Peter Smith,	Sept. 14, 1831	366 00	92 00
18,	104	Daniel Russell,	Sept. 14, 1831	529 95	132 95
	2	<i>Piece of Land in Amsterdam, formerly mortgaged by Harmanus A. Vedder.</i> Rebekah Cook,	April 30, 1833	820 00	205 00
95,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> J. S. Beekman,	Nov. 14, 1835	64 00	64 00
24,	43	<i>Cowassalon Tract.</i> Sylvester Clark,	April 30, 1833	320 00	80 00

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Gore between Hoffman Township and Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.</i>			
5, E.,.....	111	B. Van Benthuyzen,	July 29, 1833	\$238 18	\$59 18
6, F.,.....	68	do	July 29, 1833	108 72	27 72
		<i>Carleton Island.</i>			
4,.....	96	Charles Smythe,.....	Nov. 21, 1833	306 58	76 58
5,.....	99	do	Jan. 31, 1834	450 00	112 50
6,.....	95	do	Nov. 21, 1833	381 04	95 04
7,.....	96	do	Nov. 21, 1833	360 00	90 00
		<i>Lysander.</i>			
59, S. E., ...	100	Daniel Cady,.....	April 30, 1833	305 00	77 00
		<i>New Stockbridge — East Hill Tract.</i>			
33,.....	100	Nathaniel Dodge,	April 30, 1833	725 00	181 00
		<i>Old Military Tract, Township 1 — West Division.</i>			
14,.....	209	Peter Smith,.....	June 15, 1836	126 00	31 00
		<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>			
4, block 12, ..	.....	John Stryker,.....	Aug. 1, 1833	40 68	40 68

RE-SALES OF 1833—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
3,	<i>Old Military Tract—Township 11.</i>	April 30, 1833	\$70 00	\$17 50
4,	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1824.</i>	Aug. 29, 1839	666 38	166 38
98,	<i>Oneida Reservation, N. W. Part.</i>	April 30, 1833	435 00	109 00
29, bl'k 118,	<i>East Oswego.</i>	April 30, 1833	510 00	128 00
65, bl'k 119,	do	April 30, 1833	360 00	90 00
209, bl'k 57,	do	April 30, 1833	45 00	11 00
278,	Henry Fitzhugh,	April 30, 1833	70 00	18 00
279,	do	April 30, 1833	70 00	17 00
293,	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1833	70 00	17 00
246,	do	April 30, 1833	80 00	20 00
73, S. $\frac{1}{2}$,	<i>West Oswego.</i>	April 30, 1833	300 00	75 00
85, S. $\frac{1}{2}$,	do and patented to L. Merrill,	April 30, 1833	300 00	75 00

15, .....	.....	<i>Village of Oswego Falls.</i> Charles Heimstreet,	Feb. 18, 1834	150 00	38 00
2,	138	<i>Schroon Tract.</i> Peter Smith,	June 15, 1836	249 00	62 00
139,	104	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> Wm. McDonald for David Barrett,	April 30, 1833	126 00	32 00
10, sub. 4, ..	134	<i>Township of Junius.</i> Peter Smith,	April 30, 1833	395 00	99 00
14, N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$, .. 17, E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of W. $\frac{1}{4}$,	52 51	<i>St. Regis Reservation, Farm Lots.</i> Peter Smith,	April 30, 1833	158 00	40 00
18, Mid. W. part,	58	Jacob Drum,	April 30, 1833	298 00	74 00
21, N.E. part,	52	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1833	234 00	59 00
		Jacob Drum,	April 30, 1833	310 00	72 00
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RE-SALES OF 1834—*Brant Lake Tract.*

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
12,	160	J. & B. Harris,	April 30, 1834	\$82 16	\$20 54
20,	160	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1834	302 63	75 63
59,	160	Dudley Farlin,	April 30, 1834	44 00	11 00
72,	160	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1834	130 43	32 43
114,	160	do	April 30, 1834	123 00	31 00
158,	160	do	April 30, 1834	69 00	18 00
169,	160	do	April 30, 1834	127 00	32 00
<i>Village of Black Rock.</i>					
Bl'k 75, 76, N. $\frac{1}{2}$	.....	Joseph Clary,	April 30, 1834	155 00	39 00
do 147, N. $\frac{1}{2}$,	.....	do	April 30, 1834	125 00	31 00
do 147, M. $\frac{1}{2}$,	.....	do	April 30, 1834	105 00	26 00
do 147, S. $\frac{1}{2}$,	.....	do	April 30, 1834	89 00	23 00
do 204, .....	.....	Wm. A. Bird,	Jan. 28, 1835	124 58	124 58
<i>Camillus.</i>					
97, sub. 11, ..	6	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1834	36 00	9 00
<i>Fabius.</i>					
84, sub. 3, ..	100	Oliver Phelps,	April 30, 1834	202 00	50 50
<i>Essex Tract.</i>					
87,	160	John Gould,	Nov. 1, 1834	56 60	14 60

47,	127	<i>French Mountain Tract.</i>	H. Van Duzer,	May 27, 1834	110 08	28 00
52, S. E., ..	100	<i>Hannibal.</i>	James Dean,	April 30, 1834	212 00	58 00
54,	218	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>	Peter Smith,	April 30, 1834	40 00	10 00
211,	92		J. Archibald,	April 30, 1834	60 00	15 00
225,	135		McDonald & Myrick,	April 30, 1834	55 00	14 00
225,	135		B. Myrick,	May 11, 1843	63 14	16 00
.....	20	<i>Flagg Island in Seneca River.</i>	Benjamin Coonley,	April 30, 1834	118 00	29 00
23,	26	<i>Au Long Sault Island in River St. Lawrence.</i>	Benjamin Phillips,	May 25, 1839	71 50	17 50
25,	47		do	May 25, 1839	85 08	21 08
26,	39		do	May 25, 1839	109 31	27 31
14,	46		John Rykert,	Sept. 24, 1834	69 99	17 99
15,	42		Benjamin Phillips,	May 25, 1839	65 10	16 10
16,	57		do	May 25, 1839	72 24	18 24
20,	44		do	May 25, 1839	79 65	19 65
22,	23		do	May 25, 1839	21 85	10 85
33,	34		do	May 25, 1839	55 20	13 20
13,	196	<i>Jay Tract.</i>	Moses Sampson,	April 30, 1834	141 00	35 00
43,	372		do	April 30, 1834	78 98	19 98

RE-SALES OF 1834 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
83,	141	<i>Lucerne Tract.</i> John Ferguson,	April 30, 1834	\$81 00	\$20 00
41,	161		April 30, 1834	114 00	28 50
56,	123		June 15, 1836	89 00	22 00
92,	163		Sept. 20, 1847	78 43	20 00
5, E. part, ..	16	<i>New Stockbridge Mile Tract.</i> Wm. Nelson,		April 30, 1834	20 00
75,	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> Willis Gates,		Oct. 10, 1834	14 00
52,	762	<i>Old Mil. Tract, Township 1, Richards' Survey.</i> John I. Boyd,	June 15, 1836	90 00	90 00
76,	150		April 30, 1834	101 00	25 00
77,	59		April 30, 1834	47 00	47 00
87,	136	<i>Township 9.</i> Peter Smith,		April 30, 1834	15 00
5,	200	<i>Township 10.</i> Peter Smith,	April 30, 1834	72 00	18 00
10,	200		April 30, 1834	117 00	29 00

36,.....	200	do	.....	April 30, 1834	65 00	17 00
130,.....	200	do	.....	April 30, 1834	60 00	15 00
85,.....	168	do	.....	April 30, 1834	94 00	24 00
Township 11.						
23,.....	160	Peter Smith,	.....	April 30, 1834	58 00	15 00
43,.....	160	do	.....	April 30, 1834	70 00	17 00
161,.....	150	do	.....	April 30, 1834	22 00	5 00
62,.....	160	do	.....	April 30, 1834	107 00	27 00
808,.....	120	do	.....	May 20, 1835	12 40	12 40
309,.....	120	do	.....	May 20, 1835	12 40	12 40
369,.....	160	Martin Pope,	.....	June 15, 1836	79 00	19 00
Oneida Castleton.						
Block 33,.....	.....	John A. Ferrill,	.....	Oct. 23, 1835	144 00	36 00
Onondaga Residence Reservation.						
1,.....	38, rem.,	Willet Raynor,	.....	April 30, 1834	471 37	118 00
Onondaga Reservation.						
210,.....	118	Oliver Phelps,	.....	April 30, 1834	453 13	150 13
East Oswego.						
Block 69,		Peter Smith,	.....	April 30, 1834	121 00	31 00
214, 215, 216,	.....	do	.....	April 30, 1834	51 00	13 00
273,.....	.....		.....
West Oswego.						
Bl'k 76, N. 1,	.....	Peter Smith,	.....	April 30, 1834	220 00	55 00
126,.....	.....	do	.....	April 30, 1834	226 00	56 00

RE-SALES OF 1834—(Continued).

Lot.	Acre.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	324	<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>	Nov. 18, 1835	\$64 00	\$64 00
37,	309	A. K. Morehouse,	Nov. 18, 1835	30 90	30 90
52,	155	do	April 30, 1834	20 00	5 00
56,	135	Peter Smith,	Feb. 3, 1835	33 24	8 24
99,	154	David Spraker,	April 30, 1834	48 00	12 00
114,	155	Peter Smith,	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
197,	155	Rens'r Van Rensselaer,	Jan. 22, 1836	46 50	46 50
196,	155	do do	Jan. 22, 1836	31 00	31 00
220,	819	do do	Aug. 9, 1834	80 12	20 12
221,	602	do do	Aug. 9, 1834	59 10	15 10
		<i>Premises formerly mortgaged by Sam'l Cook, being Lot No. 9, in Mallory's Tract.</i>			
	100	Josiah W. Hewitt,	May 17, 1838	300 00	75 00
		<i>Premises formerly mortgaged by J. & D. Tyler, being Sub. 4 of Great Lot 148, in town of Rutland, Jefferson Co.</i>			
	145	Chauncey Doud,	Dec. 7, 1835	1,200 00	300 00

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
<i>Arsenal Lot in the City of Albany.</i>					
3,.....	.....	Charles E. Dudley,	Mar. 25, 1835	\$555 00	\$139 00
5,.....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1835	325 00	81 00
20,.....	.....	Lyman Crowl,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	295 00	74 00
23,.....	.....	Charles E. Dudley,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	330 00	82 00
24,.....	.....	Wm. H. Fonday,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	335 00	84 00
26,.....	.....	Charles E. Dudley,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	335 00	89 00
27,.....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1835	755 00	189 00
28,.....	.....	Thomas Hill,	Mar. 25, 1835	540 00	135 00
31,.....	.....	Charles E. Dudley,	Mar. 25, 1835	550 00	138 00
33,.....	.....	Timothy Speers,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	253 85	63 85
34,.....	.....	do	Mar. 25, 1835	253 85	63 85
47,.....	.....	Van Vechten & Davis,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	335 00	84 00
51,.....	.....	Jacob Lansing,.....	Mar. 25, 1835	365 00	91 00
52,.....	.....	Jacob J. Lansing,	Mar. 25, 1835	390 00	98 00
<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>					
71,.....	160	George Webster,	Oct. 1, 1835	105 00	27 00
8,.....	160	do	Oct. 1, 1835	130 00	32 00
84,.....	160	do	Oct. 1, 1835	115 00	29 00
170,.....	160	Peter Smith,.....	Oct. 1, 1835	288 00	72 00

RE-SALES OF 1835 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
82,	29	<i>Canastota Tract.</i> Joshua A. Spencer,	Oct. 1, 1835	\$165 00	\$45 00
4, D.,	38	<i>Gore adjoining Paradox Tract.</i> Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	39 00	39 00
78,	144	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	65 00	65 00
163,	186	Stephen R. Chapman,	Oct. 1, 1835	110 00	28 00
71,	494	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	116 00	29 00
34,	84	<i>Massachusetts Ten Townships.</i> Milo W. Hills,	Oct. 1, 1835	112 00	28 00
39,	133	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	185 00	46 00
93,	156	<i>Niagara Tract.</i> James Horan,	Oct. 1, 1835	1,725 00	1,725 00
37,	200	<i>Old Military Tract — Township 10.</i> Wm. Finch,	Oct. 1, 1835	93 00	23 00
44,	160	<i>Township 11.</i> Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	86 00	21 00

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63,.....	160	do	Oct.	1, 1835	68 00	17 00
325,.....	160	do	Oct.	1, 1835	42 00	42 00
<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>							
Block 95, ..	.....	Sherman & Breese, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	700 00	175 00
do 96, ..	.....	Isaac Sherman, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	390 00	98 00
do 98, ..	.....	Samuel Breese, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	275 00	69 00
do 99, ..	.....	do	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	161 00	40 00
<i>Oneida Purchase of 1802.</i>							
31,	156	John Whitman, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	398 00	100 00
<i>Oneida Reservation, N. W. Part.</i>							
93,	156	J. E. Lovett, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	500 00	125 00
<i>Village of Oswego Falls.</i>							
51, .....	.....	Richard Rust, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	127 00	32 00
52, .....	.....	do	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	122 00	31 00
<i>Palmer's Purchase.</i>							
22,	160	Seth Aldrich, ..	.....	June	15, 1836	100 00	25 00
<i>Paradox Tract.</i>							
406,	99	Samuel Broughton, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	56 00	56 00
<i>Peru Bay Tract.</i>							
22,	131	Charles Hatch, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	146 00	37 00
42,	162	Tomlinson & Smith, ..	.....	Oct.	1, 1835	113 00	28 00
69,	162	Charles E. Dudley, ..	.....	June	15, 1836	151 00	38 00

RE-SALES OF 1835 — *Peru Bay Tract* — (Continued).

• Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
71,	133	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	\$112 00	\$28 00
84,	132	do	Oct. 1, 1835	160 00	40 00
96,	255	Tomlinson & Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	103 00	26 00
99,	266	do	Oct. 1, 1835	82 00	21 00
124,	342	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	267 00	67 00
		<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>			
86,	200	E. F. Williams,	June 15, 1836	85 00	21 00
		<i>St. Regis Reservation, House Lots.</i>			
46, .....	.....	Samuel H. Payne,	Oct. 1, 1835	250 00	63 00
		<i>Out Lots.</i>			
15, A. M. Hitchcock's part,	16	Benjamin Knower,	Oct. 1, 1835	400 00	100 00
		<i>Farm Lots.</i>			
12, sub. 4,	70	Samuel H. Payne,	Oct. 1, 1835	550 00	138 00
		<i>Purchase of 1825.</i>			
2,	35	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	75 00	19 00
15,	45	do	Oct. 1, 1835	81 00	20 00

<i>Longs mountain tract.</i>					
42,	120	G. R. Andrews,	Dec.	23, 1842	59 00
45,	69	Stephen Pratt,	Oct.	1, 1835	77 00
<i>Onondaga Salt Springs, Reclaimed Lots.</i>					
10,	7	John E. Lovett,	Oct.	1, 1835	43 00
<i>Liverpool.</i>					
Block 2, .....	.....	James Johnson,	Oct.	1, 1835	168 00
do 11, .....	.....	do	Oct.	1, 1835	109 00
do 28, .....	.....	do	Oct.	1, 1835	253 00
do 44, .....	.....	do	Oct.	1, 1835	226 00
<i>St. Regis Reservation, Purchase of 1825.</i>					
1,	38	Peter Smith,	Oct.	1, 1835	71 00
5,	32	do	Oct.	1, 1835	58 00
<i>Au Long Sault Island.</i>					
13,	57	Benj. Phillips,	Oct.	1, 1835	73 00
17,	48	do	Oct.	1, 1835	69 00
18,	35	Benj. Knower,	Oct.	1, 1835	59 00
21,	53	Benj. Phillips,	Oct.	1, 1835	72 00
28,	27	B. Knower,	Oct.	1, 1835	51 00
32,	39	do	Oct.	1, 1835	63 00
<i>Cowassalon Tract.</i>					
9,	33	Stephen Chapman,	Aug.	18, 1836	384 33
<i>Hague Tract.</i>					
60,	184	Peter Smith,	Oct.	1, 1835	111 00
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RE-SALES OF 1835 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
59,	277	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Tyler Dibble,	Oct. 1, 1835	\$101 00	\$101 00
65,	160	<i>Lake George Tract.</i> Caldwell & Harris,	Oct. 1, 1835	180 00	45 00
66,	105	do	Oct. 1, 1835	160 00	40 00
8, Page's p't.	21	<i>New Stockbridge, Purchase of 1825.</i> Duncan Moyer,	Oct. 1, 1835	210 00	53 00
86,	85	<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i> Stephen Pratt,	Oct. 1, 1835	101 00	25 00
91,	160	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	121 00	30 00
83,	168	<i>Old Military Tract — Township 10.</i> Thomas A. Tomlinson,	Oct. 1, 1835	100 00	25 00
183,	200	Peter Smith,	Oct. 1, 1835	182 00	45 00
22,	74	<i>Windsor, 2d Tract.</i> Ammon Atwill,	July 17, 1841	180 56	45 14
206,	206	<i>Premises formerly mortgaged by Phineas Brown, in Essex Tract.</i> Russell Jones,	May 17, 1838	567 18	142 00

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17,.....	<i>Caleb Benjamin's Bond for Lot No. 17, south side of State street, in City of Albany.</i> James D. Wasson,	Dec. 27, 1838	\$658 23	\$164 23
9, rem. of,.	50	<i>Alexander Richards' Bond for part of Lot No. 9, in Louisville, St. Lawrence County, formerly mortgaged by David Hoyt.</i> George Reddington,	Oct. 18, 1842	125 00	32 00
42,.....	120	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Parker Morgan,	April 20, 1837	19 00	19 00
47,.....	385	Martin Finch,.....	Dec. 16, 1846	116 84	30 00
30, sub. 2,.	283	<i>Cincinnati.</i> Andrew L. Wilson,	April 20, 1837	1,320 00	330 00
63,.....	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> Ira Ransom,	Dec. 17, 1846	131 50	33 00
38,.....	184	<i>Hague Tract.</i> D. & R. Vaughan,.....	April 20, 1837	113 00	28 00
39,.....	180	do	April 20, 1837	118 00	29 00

RE-SALES OF 1837 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
364,	160	<i>Benson Township.</i> J. S. Beekman,	April 20, 1837	\$61 00	\$15 00
33,	128	<i>Town of Lewis.</i> Robert H. Hazard,	Jan. 22, 1839	20 12	20 12
20, sub. 2, ..	141	<i>Virgil.</i> David Boughton,	July 27, 1837	402 61	100 61
30, do 4, ..	114	<i>Solon.</i> Wm. W. Mumford,	Feb. 12, 1844	381 10	95 27
17,	160	<i>Old Military Tract, Township 9, E. Part.</i> Anna E. Cherritree (granted,	} Oct. 12, 1853		
20,	160	do cr. in land office,			
41,	200	<i>Township 10.</i> Fowler & Caulkin,	Nov. 11, 1845	92 26	23 06
42,	200	A. B. Vaughan,	April 7, 1843	92 26	24 00
123,	200	Caleb Caulkin,	Jan. 21, 1845	167 79	41 95
281,	200	Matthew Lane,	Feb. 22, 1839	71 26	71 26

[Cox. No. 115.]		Old Military Tract — Township 11.		Feb. 22, 1839		134 64	134 64
103,	160	Matthew Lane,		Feb. 22, 1839	47 07	47 07	47 07
123,	160	do		April 20, 1837	205 00	205 00	51 00
222,	160	John Purmort,					
		Oneida Castleton.					
1, Block 12,		Timothy N. Ferrill,		April 20, 1837	193 00	193 00	48 00
		Oneida Purchase of 1802.					
36,	99	Martin Lamb,		April 20, 1837	367 00	367 00	367 00
		Onondaga Purchase of 1817.					
13, remain'r,	75	W. & H. Raynor,		April 20, 1837	1,008 20	1,008 20	252 20
		Salina.					
37 Bl'k 41, W. 1/2,		Van Vechten & Davis,		April 20, 1837	235 00	235 00	59 00
		Paradox Tract.					
135,	159	{ Geo. Webster (unbounded),		April 20, 1837	.....	.....	28 00
		{ Hiram Buck,		Oct. 18, 1848	55 00	55 00	28 00
		South Bay Tract.					
62,	188	David Barrett,		Nov. 5, 1840	117 33	117 33	29 33
		St. Regis Reservation — House Lots.					
43,		A. Stiles,		May 22, 1838	324 25	324 25	81 25
60,		Patrick Manning,		Aug. 16, 1838	80 00	80 00	20 00

RE-SALES OF 1837 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,.....	56	<i>Purchase of 1824.</i> John Hilliker,	Dec. 12, 1840	\$106 12	\$25 00
19,.....	30	<i>Au Long Sault Island.</i> B. Phillips,	May 25, 1839	51 71	51 71
3,..... 7,..... 8,..... 9,..... 10,..... 11,..... 14,..... 17,..... 18,.....	201 214 208 254 214 198 200 160 160	<i>Warrensburgh Tract.</i> James M. Marvin, do do do do do do do do	April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837	118 00 120 00 100 00 150 00 160 00 120 00 135 00 110 00 85 00	-29 00 30 00 25 00 37 00 40 00 30 00 34 00 27 00 21 00
2, B,..... 89,..... 45,.....	96 75 97	<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i> J. Harris, Jr., Howard Waters, Asa C. Winter,	April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837 April 20, 1837	212 26 123 00 105 84	53 26 30 00 26 84

68,.....	133	B. Noble,.....	June 7, 1845	113 23	118 23	6. 115.]
84,.....	49	Luke Jones,.....	Mar. 21, 1846	20 72	20 72	
		<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>				

RE-SALES OF 1838.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
64,	136	<i>Grand Island in Niagara river.</i> White & Oliver,	April 26, 1838	\$382 00	\$95 50
96,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> Chas. Roberts,	Nov. 7, 1844	71 10	18 00
137,	160	R. P. Smith,	May 5, 1848	107 73	26 73
25, N. $\frac{1}{2}$, ...	126	<i>Bristol Tract.</i> B. W. Stryker,	Dec. 20, 1838	215 00	215 00
228,	102	<i>Essex Tract.</i> Elijah Tompkins,	Dec. 7, 1839	48 35	48 35
18,	121	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Reuben Sanford,	July 12, 1839	110 28	27 28
34,	154	<i>Luzerne Tract.</i> John Ferguson,	Dec. 20, 1838	100 58	26 00
41,	150	<i>Old Military Tract—Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i> Elisha Flagg,	May 7, 1839	198 36	32 00

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<i>West Division — Richards' Survey.</i>					
2,	120	J. & M. Gillmore,	June 7, 1839	135 27	84 00
5,	220	E. Bartlett,	May 3, 1839	221 03	55 03
61,	422	J. & M. Gillmore,	Jan. 22, 1839	78 64	20 00
72, rem. of, ..	101	W. H. H. Hull,	Dec. 26, 1839	39 44	39 44
<i>Township 9 — East Part.</i>					
16,	160	Chas. E. Dudley,	Dec. 20, 1838	83 70	20 70
<i>Township 11.</i>					
279,	200	Abram Welden,	May 15, 1839	100 51	25 00
<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation.</i>					
167, sub. 2, ..	20 rem.	Chas. E. Dudley,	Dec. 20, 1838	162 14	40 14
<i>Geddesburgh.</i>					
11, bl'k 15, ..	.....	Geo. Claxton,	Feb. 20, 1849	62 00	15 50
12, do 15, ..	.....	Chas. E. Pharis,	Feb. 20, 1849	62 00	15 50
Block 39, except lots 13 and 14, ...	.....	A. & G. Woolson,	Jan. 2, 1845	213 15	53 29
<i>Paradox Tract.</i>					
77,	165	F. J. Barnard,	Dec. 20, 1838	80 80	20 80
83,	159	Chas. E. Dudley,	Dec. 20, 1838	74 00	18 50
84,	56	Hiram Smith,	Dec. 22, 1845	33 14	9 14
867,	110	James Green,	May 6, 1839	101 36	25 36

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
20,.....	310	<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i> J. C. Hammond,	April 26, 1845	\$138 90	\$34 73
60,.....	158	<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i> Luther H. Johnson,.....	Dec. 20, 1838	451 00	120 00
1,.....	100	<i>Windsor, 1st Tract.</i> Chas. E. Dudley,.....	Dec. 20, 1838	118 54	29 54

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
9,.....	117	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> John H. Boyd,.....	May 16, 1839	\$49 79	\$49 79
45,.....	101		May 1, 1840	67 88	67 88
109,.....	184	<i>Luzerne Tract.</i> A. Burdick,.....	May 16, 1839	36 62	36 62
68, S. E.,...	100	<i>Cicero.</i> A. Simpson,	May 16, 1839	430 00	107 00
8,.....	7 rem.	<i>New Stockbridge, Purchase of 1825.</i> Polly Hendrick,.....	Aug. 9, 1839	79 45	20 45
48,.....	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> Hiram Buck,	Nov. 15, 1844	63 02	15 75
58,.....	160		Dec. 23, 1843	89 83	23 00
75,.....	108	<i>Old Military Tract — Township 10.</i> Charles E. Dudley,	May 16, 1839	47 33	47 33
21,.....	160	<i>Benson Township.</i> James C. Finch,.....	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
22,.....	160		May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62

RE-SALES OF 1839 — Benson Township — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
23,	160	James C. Finch,	May 16, 1839	\$15 99	\$4 00
24,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
25,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
26,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
27,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
29,	160	do	May 16, 1839	15 99	4 00
30,	214	do	May 16, 1839	20 83	5 21
32,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
35,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
36,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
81,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
82,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
83,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
86,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
87,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
88,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
117,	184	Benjamin W. Murphy,	Aug. 15, 1839	172 77	43 77
139,	160	James C. Finch,	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
148,	160	do	May 16, 1839	30 49	7 62
Old Military Tract — Township 11.					
1,	120	John Hartshorn,	May 16, 1839	25 00	25 00
21,	120	Joseph Thomas,	May 16, 1839	27 00	27 00

41,.....	120	John H. Boyd,.....	May	16, 1839	28 00	28 00
107,.....	160	P. R. Halsted,	May	16, 1839	35 00	8 75
102,.....	160	J. H. Boyd,.....	May	16, 1839	20 00	20 00
127,.....	160	P. R. Halsted,	May	16, 1839	25 00	6 25
147,.....	160	do	May	16, 1839	25 00	6 25
262,.....	160	do	May	16, 1839	100 00	25 00
<i>Onondaga Purchase of 1817.</i>						
26,.....	10	Joseph Thomas,	May	16, 1839	148 00	37 00
<i>Paradox Tract.</i>						
220,.....	160	Hiram Buck,	May	16, 1839	36 00	9 00
<i>Peru Bay Tract.</i>						
113,.....	459	Hiram Buck,	May	16, 1839	388 00	97 00
<i>Skeenesboro, West bounds.</i>						
17,.....	159	White & Bedell,	Nov.	20, 1839	61 76	61 76
<i>South Bay Tract.</i>						
128,.....	160	Luther Andrews,	Nov.	21, 1845	175 56	44 00
129,.....	160	Wm. Stevens, 2d,.....	May	31, 1847	134 36	33 59
<i>St. Regis Reservation, House Lots.</i>						
74,.....	.....	Uriah D. Meeker,.....	May	16, 1839	172 00	72 00
<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>						
26,.....	200	Charles Harris,.....	May	23, 1843	100 08	25 08
43,.....	212	John E. Lamb,.....	Mch.	24, 1845	21 20	5 30

RE-SALES OF 1839 — Tongue Mountain Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
44,	212	A. P. Delano,	Nov. 10, 1842	\$58 96	\$14 74
46,	155	J. E. Lamb,	Mch. 24, 1845	77 50	19 50
52,	250	A. Simpson,	May 16, 1839	92 57	23 57
2,	180	Warrensburgh Tract. Thos. J. Marvin,	May 16, 1839	138 09	34 09
D. Markham's part,	4	Missionary Lot in Westmoreland. Joseph P. Cushman,	Mch. 16, 1839	24 93	24 93
9,	69	Crumhorn Mountain Tract. George Tubbs,	Aug. 7, 1839	135 49	34 00
	9	Oneida Castleton, Mill Lot. Horatio Stevens,	May 16, 1839	1,350 00	337 50
24,	763	Gore between Township 11, Totten & Cross- field's Purchase, and Dartmouth Patent. Chas. E. Dudley (paid in full Aug. 19, 1839), ...	May 16, 1839	71 00	18 00
29, bl'k 27,	Salina Village. Wm. W. Brackett,	May 16, 1839	193 00	48 00
30, bl'k 27,	C. H. Brackett (unbonded),	May 16, 1839	178 00	43 00

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5,	170	Charles Harris,	Aug. 17, 1839	50	10
22,	152	Hiram Buck,	Aug. 17, 1839	28	87
23,	160	do	Aug. 17, 1839	62	64
	160	do	Aug. 17, 1839	53	85

RE-SALES OF 1840.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Windham, Greene County.</i>			
34,	228	Ira T. Day,	April 9, 1840	\$50 89	\$50 89
35,	326	Catherine Huffman,	Aug. 4, 1840	73 04	73 04
		<i>Benson Township.</i>			
171,	160	W. S. Hammond,	Mar. 25, 1840	93 74	23 43
		<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>			
111,	155	} Samuel Dennison,	June 26, 1840	113 01	28 25
112,	155				
198,	155				
		<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>			
30,	115	Sylvester Clark,	June 22, 1840	374 56	93 64
		<i>Onondaga Purchase of 1817.</i>			
15,	60 rem.	Willet Raynor,	Mar. 25, 1840	565 79	141 48
		<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation.</i>			
12		M. & J. E. Willard,	Mar. 25, 1840	156 00	39 00
		<i>of Salina.</i>	Total 18 1840	921 00	00 00

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10, sub. 3,	134	<i>Township of Junius.</i> David Smalley (unbonded),	Mar. 25, 1840	535 00	134 00
33,	103	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> Jonathan Tarbell,	June 15, 1840	58 83	58 83
80,	110	Eliphalet Pierson,	July 16, 1840	30 80	30 80
14,	177	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Reuben Sanford,	Mar. 25, 1840	114 36	28 59
58,	295	Peter Keese,	April 24, 1841	72 74	72 74
112,	82	Richard Keese,	June 10, 1841	35 11	35 11
33,	170	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> Wm. Symond,	Feb. 20, 1846	97 21	25 00
60,	162	<i>Old Mil. Tract—Town'p No. 1, Thorne's Survey.</i> Philip Miller,	May 9, 1848	128 45	32 12
65,	120	J. Archibald,	Sept. 24, 1842	88 99	22 99
22,	160	<i>Old Military Tract—Township No. 11.</i> J. & J. Rogers,	Feb. 24, 1849	64 00	16 00
376,	160	Peter Hasbrook,	July 10, 1844	34 36	8 60
6,	1,440	<i>Township 12, Richards' Survey.</i> R. B. Kimball,	Dec. 10, 1840	180 59	45 59
26,	724	Luke Lockwood,	July 7, 1840	91 04	91 04
4,	480	<i>Lands south and adjoining Maul's Patent.</i> Wm. McDonald (unbonded),	Dec. 3, 1841	69 41	17 41

RE-SALES OF 1840 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
112,	200	<i>Old Military Tract — Township 10.</i> Anna E. Cherritree,	July 9, 1852	\$20 00	\$5 00
65,	160	<i>Lake George Tract.</i> Elias Cadwell, .....	.....	172 82	43 20
66,	160	do	June 26, 1840	153 89	38 47
125,	160	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> Elias Cadwell,	July 22, 1840	67 00	17 00
130,	160	Wm. Stevens, 2d,	June 7, 1847	181 91	45 48
53,	160	<i>Westfield Tract, Thorne's Survey.</i> Luther Andrews,	Mar. 25, 1840	138 91	34 73
54,	160	do	Mar. 25, 1840	169 44	42 44
19,	63 rem.	<i>French Mountain Tract.</i> Washburn & Andrews,	June 26, 1840	32 52	32 52
74,	192	<i>Luverne Tract.</i> Luther Andrews,	Mar. 25, 1840	105 26	26 31
80,	71	} Elam Merrill,	Mar. 25, 1840	92 84	23 21
81,	108				
95,	139	Daniel W. Wing,	Oct. 10, 1840	62 54	62 54

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RE-SALES OF 1842.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2, Block 80, 2, Block 91, 1, Block 96,	<i>Village of Salina (Jan. 6).</i> Cody & Leavenworth,..... do do	April 7, 1842 April 7, 1842 April 7, 1842	\$440 46 321 92 648 40	\$110 12 80 48 162 10
		<i>Allegany County—Zachariah Spencer's Bond, formerly mortgaged by Clark Crandall; two parcels in 7th range of Townships.</i>			
	125	Charles Butler,.....	Aug. 5, 1843	491 53	122 88
19,.....	51	<i>Delaware Tract, in Windsor.</i> Albert Edgerton,.....	Feb. 17, 1843	48 87	12 22
	88	<i>Chenango County.</i> Nathan Sage,	June 14, 1842	926 88	231 72
29,.....	124	<i>Massachusetts—Ten Townships.</i> Charles Quackenboss,	Aug. 14, 1843	185 49	46 37
7, sub. 1,...	165	<i>Hardenburgh Patent, Great Lot No. 35.</i> Hadley & Dean,.....	May 7, 1844	90 32	22 58

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18,	Zina Belknap,	Sept. 30, 1844	221 94	229 94
51,	Maria Meadon,	June 14, 1842	180 00	180 00
	<i>Flagg Island, in Seneca River.</i>			
20	Allen & Edwards,	June 14, 1842	92 81	23 20
	<i>New Stockbridge Purchase of 1823.</i>			
22	Hugh McNamara,	June 14, 1842	105 31	26 33
	<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>			
40	Zina Bushnell,	June 14, 1842	402 86	100 76
	<i>Brighton Bridge Company.</i>			
79	Alfred P. Curtice,	Jan. 21, 1846	1,399 04	350 00
56	Otis Allen,	June 14, 1842	1,189 04	297 26
	<i>First Pagan Purchase.</i>			
159	N. S. Loomis,	June 14, 1842	578 34	144 58
40	do	June 14, 1842	260 00	65 00
	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1834.</i>			
1	Henry J. Klock,	Nov. 2, 1843	50 00	50 00
	<i>Cicero.</i>			
176	Hugh McNamara,	June 14, 1842	510 00	127 50
124	Grove Lawrence,	June 14, 1842	430 00	107 50

RE-SALES OF 1842—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
15,.....	30	<i>Onondaga Purchase of 1817.</i> Hugh McNamara,.....	July 28, 1843	\$501 93	\$125 50
15,.....	40		July 8, 1843	668 98	167 24
		<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation, Farm Lots.</i>			
151,.....	54	William W. Tripp,.....	Sept. 26, 1842	657 98	164 49
185,.....	50	Willet Raynor,.....	June 14, 1842	334 45	341 55
		<i>Reclaimed Lots.</i>			
3,.....	21	Ashbel Kellogg,.....	June 14, 1842	102 09	25 52
12,.....	10	James Johnson,.....	May 2, 1844	51 07	12 77
15,.....	13	George W. Robinson,.....			
31,.....	9				
32,.....	9				
34,.....	10		Mar. 9, 1848	134 92	33 73
36,.....	8				
37,.....	6				
38,.....	6				
		<i>Village of Geddes.</i>			
1, Block 24,	.....	Ashbel Kellogg,.....	June 14, 1842	47 76	11 94
Block 29,	.....	William W. Tripp,.....	June 14, 1842	78 59	19 65

	William W. Tripp,	June 14, 1842	42 52	10 63	No. 115.]
1, Block 80, Block 70, except $\frac{1}{4}$ of an acre sold with lots 9, 11 and 12 in Bl'k 15,	.....			
4,	Harvey Baldwin,	Feb. 20, 1849	107 00	26 75	
6,	<i>Basin Lots in Geddes.</i>				
	Isaac R. Pharis,	Sept. 10, 1857	160 00	40 00	
	G. & A. Woolson,	Sept. 10, 1857	280 00	70 00	
4, Block 80, 6, Block 80,	<i>Syracuse.</i>				
	Hugh McNamara,	Sept. 2, 1843	154 09	38 52	
	Harlow Millard,	Sept. 15, 1842	160 63	40 16	
Block 18, .. do 19, .. do 28, .. do 29, .. do 31, .. 2, Block 69, Block 119, .. 3, Bl'k 131, 11, Bl'k 131,	<i>Salina.</i>				
	William Pickett,	Dec. 4, 1847	364 97	93 00	
	Shannon & Malony,	Dec. 10, 1847	279 66	70 00	
	Percy Peck and	Nov. 15, 1843	996 92	379 00	
	Betsy Peck, jointly,	Nov. 15, 1843	519 12		
	Wm. B. Ballou,	Mar. 13, 1848	379 75	95 00	
	Thomas G. Alvord,	Mar. 14, 1845	397 14	100 00	
	Robert Furman,	Dec. 16, 1842	971 26	242 81	
	Leavenworth & Jewett,	Feb. 20, 1849	430 00	107 50	
	George Ogle,	Feb. 20, 1849	460 00	115 00	
10,	<i>Leased Lots at Salina and Green Point.</i>				
	Heirs of T. M. Wood,	June 14, 1842	32 31	32 31	

RE-SALES OF 1342—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
35, Bl'k 137,	.....	<i>East Oswego.</i>	May 11, 1844	\$313 49	\$313 49
10, sub. 2, ..	205	<i>Township of Junius.</i>	Oct. 9, 1844	676 60	176 60
75, do 3, ..	178	T. B. Wiley,	June 10, 1843	1,619 96	405 00
138,	120	<i>Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.</i>	June 14, 1842	65 23	16 30
182,	160	T. W. Olcott,	Mar. 21, 1848	70 86	17 72
196,	160	Rogers, Buttrick & Powers,	May 8, 1847	88 54	23 00
237,	141	Asa Heald,	June 14, 1842	96 58	24 13
239,	158	Luman Fuller,	June 14, 1842	164 51	41 13
44,	113	Robert Kennedy,	June 14, 1842	68 12	17 03
59,	140	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>	July 27, 1846	36 18	36 18
21,	197	James Stevenson, Jr.,	June 14, 1842	188 11	47 02
29,	429	A. J. Rosseau,	June 14, 1842	69 90	17 47
68,	220	<i>Jay Tract.</i>	Oct. 1, 1844	111 13	27 78
		B. H. Jaques,			
		R. Bailey,			
		Monroe Hall,			

No. 11A.]								309	
North River Head Tract.									
51,	160	James S. Whallon,	Feb. 5, 1845	74 94	20 00				
56,	160	A. J. Rosseau,	Mar. 20, 1847	69 87	17 50				
60,	160	E. F. Williams,	July 3, 1844	69 87	17 47				
Paradox Tract.									
191,	140	Hiram Smith,	Feb. 2, 1846	118 51	29 63				
Old Military Tract, Townships 1 and 2, Richards' Survey.									
2, remain'r,	77	T. W. Olcott,	June 14, 1842	146 36	36 59				
14, do	206	Oliver Walton,	Feb. 9, 1846	143 83	36 00				
19,	267	J. K. Dudley,	June 14, 1842	329 73	82 43				
48,	518	Thomas Brewster,	April 4, 1848	50 94	50 94				
58,	487	do	April 4, 1848	63 27	63 27				
Township 11.									
48,	160	{ Hugh Robinson (unbonded),	June 14, 1842	.....	8 15			
		{ Monroe Hall,	Oct. 1, 1844	38 00	9 50				
Township 12, Richards' Survey.									
14,	1,440	Daniel Gale,	July 5, 1843	161 61	161 61				
44,	761	John Roth,	Feb. 12, 1853	110 30	110 30				
Peru Bay Tract.									
3,	208	} Harmon Noble,	Dec. 6, 1842	115 85	135 50				
37,	161			218 16					
41,	178			97 23					
70,	162			110 73					

RE-SALES OF 1842 — Peru Bay Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
114,	107	Gurdon Grant,	Sept. 12, 1842	\$103 10	\$103 10
115,	250	H. F. Granger,	Sept. 29, 1842	300 77	76 50
129,	108	Martin Pope,	Sept. 13, 1842	116 12	29 03
		<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>			
53,	260	Peter Hasbrook,	Feb. 2, 1846	78 30	19 58
56,	260	do	Feb. 2, 1846	63 48	15 87
		<i>Macomb's Purchase.</i>			
Remainder of S. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Town'p 15, G. L. No. 1,	7,320	Peter Hasbrook,	April 1, 1844	451 50	112 88
		<i>Old Military Tract, Township No. 9.</i>			
53,	160	These 7 lots granted by Com'rs of Land Office to Anna E. Cherritree,	Oct. 12, 1853		
56,	160				
57,	160				
59,	150				
88,	160				
89,	160				
343,	160				
344,	205	Wm. King,	Jan. 14, 1847	107 43	107 43

345,.....	202	do	Mar.	9, 1848	102 94	25 74	No. 116.]
347,.....	196	Peter Hasbrook,.....	June	7, 1845	75 25	18 82	
2,.....	200	Old Military Tract—Township No. 10.					
34,.....	200	Henry George,.....	Nov.	13, 1844	100 00	25 00	
35,.....	200	{ F. J. Barnard,.....	Nov.	14, 1842	121 82	30 45	
81,.....	200		Fowler & Calkins,.....	Nov.	11, 1845	114 95		28 74
85, 86, 92,...	.....	St. Regis Reservation, House Lots.				
		H. A. Herrick,.....	Aug.	13, 1842	119 70	29 93	
10,.....	41	Purchase of 1825.					
146,.....	200	R. A. Campbell,.....	Oct.	5, 1843	113 81	30 00	
		Moose River Tract—Township 9.					
		Wm. Newell,.....	April	14, 1846	50 00	50 00	
20,.....	337	Oxbow Tract.					
80,.....	155	} Andrew K. Morehouse,.....					
140,.....	155						
195,.....	154						
200,.....	155						
208,.....	155		Sept.	19, 1842	277 66	69 41	
221,.....	602						
226,.....	633						
276,.....	248						
248,.....	182						

RE-SALES OF 1842— (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1, undiv'd 1 of,....	50	<i>Vedder's Patent.</i> W. S. Hammond,	June 14, 1842	\$237 94	\$59 48
63,	160	<i>Lake George Tract.</i> Elias Cadwell,	June 14, 1842	147 61	36 90
64,	160	do	June 14, 1842	285 03	71 26
68,	160	do	June 14, 1842	86 98	21 74
131,	160	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> Elias Cadwell,	June 14, 1842	68 12	17 03
41,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> G. Crandall,	Nov. 25, 1845	125 67	31 67
57,	184	<i>Hague Tract.</i> Charles Fowler,	Oct. 18, 1848	37 00	18 50
23, 3d div., 23, 1st div., 75,	64 64 153	<i>Luverne Tract.</i> D. W. Dean,, Christopher Smith,, Anna E. Cherritree,	June 14, 1842 Sept. 13, 1842 Dec. 13, 1851	118 49 126 56 15 30	29 62 31 64 15 30

25, 29,.....		<i>Tongus Mountain Tract.</i>						
49,.....	270	George R. Andrews,.....	May	28, 1847	127 12	31 78		
		John E. Lamb,.....	Mar.	24, 1845	121 77	30 45		
		<i>Grand Island, in Niagara River.</i>						
10,.....	184	Samuel De Veaux,.....	July	5, 1843	818 02	218 02		
		<i>Niagara Tract.</i>						
30,.....	204	G. S. Chapman,.....	Oct.	22, 1842	911 52	227 88		
99,.....	160	Win. Scott,.....	Sept.	12, 1842	1,534 32	383 58		
		<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase — Township 22; North $\frac{1}{2}$</i>						
	12,000	Nathaniel Kimball,.....	June	14, 1842	1,296 77	329 15		
		<i>Unbonded Lots. Junius.</i>						
10, sub. 3,...	134	Ansel Bascom,.....	Dec.	3, 1845	318 98	80 00		
		<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>						
Mill lot, ...	9	Jenkins & Pettibone,.....	Jan.	28, 1845	625 00	156 25		
		<i>Village of Salina.</i>						
30, Block 27,		Ira A. Gilchrist,.....	Aug.	4, 1842	156 58	26 58		
		<i>Benson Township.</i>						
21,.....	160	} Andrew K. Morehouse,.....	Sept.	19, 1842	Carried forward.			
22,.....	160							
23,.....	160							

RE-SALES OF 1842 — Unbonded Lots — Benson Township — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
24,	160	} Andrew K. Morehouse,.....	Sept. 19, 1842	\$128 00	\$32 00
25,	160				
26,	160				
27,	160				
29,	160				
32,	160				
35,	160				
36,	160				
81,	160				
82,	160				
83,	160				
86,	160				
87,	160				
88,	160				
139,	160				
148,	160				
		do	June 14, 1842	176 00	44 00
138,	205	North River Head Tract.			
		Harry D. Reed,	Sept. 21, 1844	109 67	28 00
2,	243	Roaring Brook Tract.			
11,	240	John C. Hammond,	April 26, 1845	104 50	26 12
		do	April 26, 1845	97 50	24 38

Moose River Tract.

Lot.	Acres.	Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Township 4.*				
1,.....	117			
2,.....	168			
3,.....	168			
4,.....	168			
5,.....	168			
6,.....	168			
11,.....	168			
12,.....	218			
13,.....	208			
14,.....	160			
19,.....	160			
20,.....	160			
21,.....	160			
22,.....	160			
23,.....	160			
.....	112			
.....	160			

33,	160
36,	160
37,	160
38,	160
43,	160
44,	160
45,	160
46,	160
47,	160
48,	160
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58,	212
59,	212
60,	212
61,	213
62,	213
63,	213
67,	355
68,	355
69,	355
70,	355
71,	355
72,	355

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, Lots 7, 8, 17, 18, 31, 32, 41, 42, 55, 101, 104, 107, 56, 64, 65, 66, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 102, 105, 108, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 97, 98, 99, 100, 103 and 106, contain- ing in all 7,471 acres, and 33.34,		Sacketts Harbor & Saratoga R. R. Co., granted by act, chap. 122, Laws of 1855.	Feb. 4, 1842	\$1,120 65	\$280 16
		David Reed,			
		Sold by resolution of Commissioners of Land Office at 15 cents per acre.			
		By resolution of Commissioners, to David Reed,	June 15, 1843	223 80	55 20

David Reed,.....	June 15, 1843	26 40	6 60
Sacketts Harbor & Saratoga R. R. Co., granted by act, chap. 122, Laws of 1855,.....	Aug. 13, 1855		
<i>Township No. 6.</i> Jacob L. Baldwin,.....	Aug. 31, 1843	1,635 00	490 50
<i>Township No. 7.</i> Jacob L. Baldwin,.....	July 11, 1843	2,420 00	1,210 00
<i>Township No. 8.</i> Jacob L. Baldwin,.....	July 11, 1843	2,352 00	1,176 05
<i>Dome Island, in Lake George.</i> William Smith,.....	Oct. 9, 1855	50 00	50 00
<i>Clay Island, in Lake George.</i> William Smith,.....	Dec. 31, 1855	50 00	50 00
<i>Fourteen-Mile Island, in Lake George.</i> William Smith,.....	Mar. 4, 1856	100 00	100 00
<i>Small Island in Chittenango Creek, opposite lots 62 and 63, N. W. part of Oneida Reservation.</i> E. H. Damon,.....	June 6, 1850	127 00	127 00

VILLAGE OF BLACK ROCK.

Block.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
152, 153,	5	Henry W. Rogers,	Sept. 12, 1844	\$228 00	\$114 00
154,	4	William C. Sherwood,	Sept. 12, 1844	198 00	99 00
158,	4	David Clark,	Sept. 12, 1844	272 25	136 13
159,	4	do	Sept. 12, 1844	297 00	148 50
160,	3	do	Sept. 12, 1844	234 00	117 00
161,	3	do	Sept. 12, 1844	252 00	126 00
170,	2	James Haggart,	Sept. 12, 1844	53 00	26 50
173,	4	Absalom Bull,	Sept. 12, 1844	173 25	86 62
174,	4	Zebulon Ketchum,	Sept. 12, 1844	198 00	198 00
176,	4	David Clark,	Sept. 12, 1844	198 00	50 00
178,	4	do	Sept. 12, 1844	247 50	123 75
179,	3	do	Sept. 12, 1844	198 00	99 00
181,	3	do	Sept. 12, 1844	307 00	153 50
187, 188, ab't,	3	Henry W. Rogers,	Sept. 12, 1844	89 00	44 50
189,	4	Lester Brace,	Sept. 12, 1844	112 00	56 00
208,	1	Z. Ketchum,	Sept. 12, 1844	97 20	97 20
209,	1	do	Sept. 12, 1844	97 20	97 20
211,	1	do	Sept. 12, 1844	97 20	97 20
212,	1	do	Sept. 12, 1844	97 20	97 20
223,	1	H. W. Rogers,	Sept. 12, 1844	264 25	132 12
229,	1	T. C. Dwight,	Feb. 5, 1845	226 50	50 00
230,	1	Jacob Croswell,	Jan. 20, 1845	271 80	68 00
232,	8	Thompson & Dodge,	Feb. 15, 1845	600 00	150 00

233, 234, . . .	6	T. C. Dwight,	Mar.	13, 1845	312 50	78 50
155,	4	Wm. C. Sherwood,	Sept.	12, 1844	351 45	117 15
156,	4	do	Sept.	12, 1844	371 25	123 75
162,	3	Alex. C. Culbert,	Sept.	12, 1844	540 00	180 00
172,	4	Henry W. Rogers,	Sept.	12, 1844	366 30	122 10
175,	4	do	Sept.	12, 1844	297 00	99 00
177,	4	T. C. Dwight,	Sept.	12, 1844	346 50	115 50
180,	3	Z. Ketchum,	Sept.	12, 1844	630 00	630 00
218,	1	A. C. Culbert,	Sept.	12, 1844	145 80	48 60
226,	2	T. C. Dwight,	Sept.	12, 1844	351 45	117 15
231,	2	do	Sept.	12, 1844	321 30	107 10

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Fort Niagara Tract.

Lot A,	30	S. B. Piper,	Sept.	16, 1844	1,350 00	337 50
do B, N. $\frac{1}{2}$,	50	John Hutchinson,	July	28, 1846	1,000 00	250 00
do B, S. $\frac{1}{2}$,	50	Win. Armstrong,	July	28, 1846	1,000 00	250 00
do C, N. $\frac{1}{2}$,	56	John Carter,	April	6, 1846	847 50	212 00
do C, S. $\frac{1}{2}$,	56	John Turner,	Mar.	9, 1846	847 50	250 00
do D,	100	R. M. Knight,	Mar.	6, 1846	1,400 00	350 00
do E,	93	Thomas Nugent,	June	21, 1847	1,311 80	327 95

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
14,	103	<i>Windsor, 3d Tract.</i> G. & H. Dusenberne,	Oct. 1, 1844	\$174 16	\$43 54
7, N. $\frac{1}{2}$,	77	<i>First Pagan Purchase.</i> George S. Poppleton,	Oct. 1, 1844	300 34	75 09
110, remain'r. 97, Seaton's part,	150 62	<i>Oneida Reservation.</i> Casper J. Cook, Hugh McNamara,	Oct. 1, 1844 Jan. 17, 1845	606 35 200 12	151 59 50 12
Block 23, . . . " 24, . . . " 28, . . . " 29, . . .	. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .	<i>Oneida Castleton.</i> Joseph R. Jenkins, John Buswell, do do	Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844	40 25 59 63 40 25 54 46	10 08 14 92 10 03 13 62
8, Except 15 A., in S.W. cor. lot 130, . . . " 67, . . .	70	<i>Wood Creek Reservation.</i> B. Nellis, <i>Oneida Reservation, N. W. part.</i> L. Fairchild, C. R. Demmon,	Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844 Oct. 1, 1844	291 34 302 75 743 00	73 00 75 69 185 75

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17, rem. of, .	37	<i>New Stockbridge, S. W. Part.</i>							
35, Foster's p.	30	Warren Grant,	Oct.	1, 1844	235 24	58 81			
		Gerrit Smith,	Oct.	1, 1844	312 94	78 24			
5, rem. of, .	62	<i>New Stockbridge, East Hill Tract.</i>							
		Tim. Smith,	Oct.	1, 1844	450 53	112 64			
8, rem. of, .	7	<i>New Stockbridge, Purchase of 1825.</i>							
		Wm. Nelson,	Oct.	1, 1844	78 71	19 68			
39, part, . . .	52	<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>							
		McNamara & Marshall,	Jan.	4, 1845	235 16	59 16			
12, part, . . .	20	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1824.</i>							
26,	51	Hugh McNamara,	Jan.	17, 1845	234 73	58 68			
27,	71	L. Hitchcock,	Jan.	23, 1845	775 26	193 82			
		do	Jan.	23, 1845	1,472 59	368 18			
10,	95	<i>Orchard Party, Purchase of 1830.</i>							
		H. McNamara,	Jan.	18, 1845	1,031 50	257 50			
2,	75	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1840.</i>							
		S. Beecher,	Dec.	31, 1844	719 71	179 93			
19, S. E. cor.,	100	<i>Tully.</i>							
		H. F. King,	Oct.	1, 1844	469 47	117 38			
157, rem. of, .	20	<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation.</i>							
		Thos. T. Davis,	Oct.	1, 1844	180 00	45 00			

RE-SALES OF 1844 — Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
127,	13	B. D. Noxon,	Oct. 1, 1844	\$178 95	\$44 74
128,	13	do	Oct. 1, 1844	234 17	58 55
129,	14	do	Oct. 1, 1844	183 14	45 79
75,	19	Hugh McNamara,	Oct. 1, 1844	243 24	60 81
342,	7	Woolson & Wheeler,	Nov. 19, 1846	436 63	109 16
167, sub. 1 & 3,	23	A. & G. Woolson,	Oct. 1, 1844	197 22	49 31
Reclaimed Lots.					
16,	14	H. W. Rogers,	Oct. 1, 1844	16 87	4 22
33,	10	P. W. Fobes,	April 26, 1845	23 02	5 76
9,	7	do	April 26, 1845	23 99	6 00
Village of Geddes.					
Bl'k 53, .....	.....	B. G. Avery,	Jan. 2, 1845	324 11	81 02
do 61, .....	.....	do	Jan. 2, 1845	439 05	109 76
Lot 11, Bl. 25,	.....	A. G. Woolson,	Jan. 2, 1845	161 15	40 29
Bl'k 23, Ter-	.....	do	Jan. 2, 1845	39 29	9 83
ry's part, ..	.....	Cyrus Thompson,	Jan. 3, 1845	112 59	40 00
Lot 3, Bl'k 25,	.....			
Village of Liverpool.					
Bl'k 43, exc'pt	Joseph Jaqueth,	Jan. 4, 1845	96 11	26 00
lots 7, 8 & 9,	do	Jan. 13, 1845	182 07	45 52
Block 8,				

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2, Bl'k 36, 9, do 131, 10, do 131,	rem. of,	<i>Salina.</i> Thos. G. Alvord, John White, E. W. Leavenworth,	April 25, 1845 Feb. 20, 1849 Nov. 16, 1848	480 08 440 00 268 96	120 00 110 00 67 28
3, .....	.....	<i>Geddes — Water Lots on Northeasterly side of Canal, between the Seneca Turnpike and road leading from Geddes to Salina.</i> Win. Wheeler,	Oct. 14, 1847	65 99	17 00
79, Bl'k 43, ..	.....	<i>West Oswego.</i> Luther Wright,	Oct. 1, 1844	468 07	117 02
3, 17, 36, .....	..... ..... .....	<i>Village of Oswego Falls.</i> Voorhees & Leitch, do do do do	Aug. 3, 1847 Mar. 17, 1847 Mar. 17, 1847	229 29 167 19 90 73	57 33 41 80 22 73
20, sub. 3, ..	161	<i>Locke.</i> Barlow Granger,	Oct. 1, 1844	242 35	60 59
11,	100	<i>Mallory's Grant in Essex Co. — G. Whitman's bond for premises formerly mortgaged by D. Wheeler.</i> Daniel Taylor,	June 11, 1845	475 00	125 00
221, 224,	146 188	<i>Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.</i> Ephraim Willey, J. & S. Trumbull,	Jan. 31, 1846 Feb. 26, 1845	58 03 123 68	15 00 31 00

RE-SALES OF 1844 — Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
123,	160	E. & A. Flagg,	June 6, 1846	\$121 22	\$31 00
108,	300	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> A. J. Rosseau,	Jan. 6, 1845	88 07	22 07
23,	177	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Monroe Hall,	Oct. 1, 1844	109 97	27 50
71,	40	Miller & Cooper,	Nov. 18, 1848	60 00	15 00
13,	196	James Rogers,	Oct. 1, 1844	167 39	42 00
43,	372	Reuben Sanford,	Oct. 1, 1844	100 00	25 00
10,	124	<i>Town of Lewis — Stower's Survey.</i> Hiram Buck,	Jan. 2, 1845	55 93	14 00
77,	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> P. R. Halsted,	Jan. 2, 1845	94 30	23 57
66,	160	Chester Stevens,	June 14, 1845	76 37	19 10
1,	1,498	<i>White Face Mountain Tract.</i> R. B. Hazard,	Jan. 4, 1845	171 68	42 92
2,	1,283	do	Jan. 4, 1845	182 32	45 58
5,	2,131	do	Jan. 4, 1845	374 06	93 00
6,	1,498	do	Jan. 4, 1845	194 00	48 50

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13,.....	119	H. Buck,.....	Oct. 1, 1844	73 09	18 28
		<i>Paradox Tract.</i>			
19,.....	240	E. F. Williams,.....	Nov. 6, 1847	112 61	28 16
23,.....	348	J. C. Hammond,.....	April 26, 1845	191 04	47 76
36,.....	300	Luke Jones,.....	Feb. 20, 1847	86 70	22 00
37,.....	284	Wm. C. Potter,.....	Dec. 31, 1847	70 60	17 65
45,.....	259	Roger A. Flood,.....	Mar. 27, 1847	170 55	42 64
69,.....	355	W. H. Hull & Estes,.....	Mar. 11, 1846	159 57	40 00
		<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>			
1,.....	108	Wm. E. Calkins,.....	Jan. 2, 1845	109 78	27 44
		<i>Ticonderoga.</i>			
54,.....	168	E. Marks,.....	Feb. 28, 1845	153 50	38 50
67,.....	200	Amos Barrett,.....	Mar. 27, 1849	100 00	25 00
73,.....	200	do.....	Mar. 27, 1849	100 00	25 00
2, B,.....	160	M. Patterson,.....	Aug. 14, 1847	118 09	30 00
3, C,.....	160	do.....	Mar. 13, 1848	79 23	20 00
10, K,.....	160	John McLean,.....	April 22, 1852	118 09	30 00
11, L,.....	160	E. F. Williams,.....	Mar. 10, 1848	118 09	30 00
		<i>Old Mil. Tract, Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i>			
9, remaind'r,.....	102	E. F. Ingalls,.....	April 27, 1852	130 04	32 00
87,.....	412	Monroe Hall,.....	Oct. 1, 1844	77 88	19 47
92,.....	422	A. H. Sheldon,.....	Aug. 30, 1849	68 59	68 59
		<i>Townships 1 & 2—Richards' Survey.</i>			
		<i>Simeon Pike's bond, being part of the premises formerly mortgaged by Wm. Britton.</i>			

RE-SALES OF 1844—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Old Military Tract—Township 11.</i>			
299,	167	Roswell Thompson,	Jan. 2, 1845	\$77 50	\$20 00
126,	160	Joseph Hillman,	Jan. 30, 1845	22 63	22 63
3,	160	Monroe Hall,	Oct. 25, 1860	78 09	20 09
66,	160	Peter Hasbrook,	April 2, 1846	134 03	33 51
17,	200	Samuel Shaw,	July 10, 1845	97 47	25 00
162,	200	Monroe Hall,	Oct. 1, 1844	51 55	12 88
		<i>Township 10.</i>			328
181,	200	Anna E. Cherritree,	July 9, 1852	20 00	5 00
218,	200	do	Oct. 12, 1853	Cr. by L. O.	
219,	200	do	Oct. 12, 1853	do	
221,	200	do	Oct. 12, 1853	do	
222,	200	do	Oct. 12, 1853	do	
172,	200	John T. Duncan,	Dec. 8, 1845	188 66	50 00
184,	200	A. E. Cherritree,	July 9, 1852	20 00	5 00
		<i>Gore adjoining south bounds of Duerville.</i>			
8,	241	Chas. K. Averill,	Jan. 29, 1845	357 06	357 06
9,	252	do	Jan. 29, 1845	376 00	376 00
10,	261	A. E. Cherritree,	Oct. 12, 1853	Cr. by L. O.	

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16,.....	150	John H. Boyd,.....	Feb.	21, 1845	216 43	54 12
65,.....	152	C. K. Averill,.....	Oct.	1, 1844	123 77	30 95
10,.....	333	<i>Refugee Tract.</i>				
		C. K. Averill,.....	Oct.	1, 1844	156 97	39 30
129,.....	168	<i>Lake George Tract.</i>				
49,.....	179	G. Thayer, Jr.,.....	Oct.	1, 1844	45 65	11 41
48,.....	164	Wm. E. Calkins,.....	Jan.	2, 1845	40 91	10 23
		do	Jan.	2, 1845	45 99	11 49
		<i>West bounds of Skeenesborough.</i>				
2,.....	140	Peter Hasbrook,.....	Jan.	10, 1845	92 38	23 10
3,.....	135	Wm. Stevens, 2d,.....	Oct.	1, 1846	60 02	15 00
12,.....	75	P. Hasbrook,	Sept.	12, 1845	26 30	6 58
		<i>South Bay Tract.</i>				
16,.....	86	Wm. E. Calkins,	Jan.	2, 1845	62 75	15 69
17,.....	80	do	Jan.	2, 1845		
62,.....	188	Leonard McChesney,.....	Jan.	8, 1845	109 19	27 29
139,.....	104	do	Jan.	3, 1845	117. 61	29 40
		<i>Marsh Lot, in the Town of Putnam.</i>				
2,.....	30	Henry T. Gaylord,	Dec.	10, 1861	15 25	15 25
		<i>Hague Tract.</i>				
53,.....	175	Judson Andrews,.....	Jan.	3, 1845	79 70	19 92
54,.....	180	do	Jan.	3, 1845	89 19	22 29

RE-SALES OF 1844 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>				
164,	96	Charles Fowler,	Oct.	18, 1848	\$40 00	\$20 00
165,	160	do	Oct.	18, 1848	100 00	50 00
245,	131	H. Matteson,	Oct.	1, 1844	161 74	40 44
47,	160	Joseph Russel,	Jan.	3, 1850	80 00	20 00
59,	160	W. C. Potter,	Dec.	20, 1847	65 66	16 45
		<i>Luzerne Tract.</i>				
6,	165	G. Thayer, Jr.,	Jan.	3, 1845	370 07	92 51
8,	123	do	Oct.	1, 1844	201 98	52 26
137,	89	J. J. Harris,	Jan.	8, 1845	69 15	17 29
9,	193	G. Thayer, Jr.,	Jan.	3, 1845	272 42	68 10
		<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>				
86,	85	Hiram Wilson,	Oct.	1, 1844	132 38	33 10
87,	51	do	Oct.	1, 1844	100 67	25 17
69,	138	A. A. Anderson,	Oct.	1, 1844	189 44	47 36
		<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i>				
33,	200	G. R. Andrews,	May	28, 1847	218 50	56 22
		<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>				
11,	536	George Bradley,	Nov.	10, 1846	251 99	63 00

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156,.....	154	James Winne,.....	Oct.	1, 1844	75 70	18, 94
<i>Black Rock.</i>						
Block 224,	George W. Allen,	Jan.	2, 1845	362 25	90 00
<i>Grand Island.</i>						
27,.....	120	H. W. Rogers,	Oct.	1, 1844	256 19	64 05
<i>Village of Lewiston.</i>						
344,.....	.....	A. S. Tryon,.....	Oct.	22, 1847	125 03	31 26
345,.....	.....	do	Oct.	22, 1847		
346,.....	.....	do	Oct.	22, 1847		
347,.....	.....	do	Oct.	22, 1847		
295 and 296, ..	.....	Lathrop Cook,	Jan.	4, 1845	95 44	25 00
<i>Gore between Township 11, Totten & Cross- fields Purchase, and Dartmouth Patent.</i>						
1,.....	127	Anna E. Cherritree, per L. O. of this date,.....	Dec.	13, 1851	12 70	3 70
2,.....	160	do	Dec.	13, 1851	16 00	4 00
3,.....	160	do	Dec.	13, 1851	16 00	4 00
4,.....	160	do	Dec.	13, 1851	16 00	4 00
5,.....	160	do	Dec.	13, 1851	16 00	4 00
6,.....	160	William C. Potter,	Mar.	23, 1848	84 85	21 22
7,.....	160	Leonard Pasco,.....	Mar.	19, 1849	64 00	16 00
8,.....	160	Kenyon & Parker,.....	Mar.	14, 1848	81 92	21 00
9,.....	160	Marvin Parker,.....	July	2, 1847	102 28	25 57
10,.....	160	James Cameron,.....	May	15, 1845	161 38	40 38
11,.....	160	Orville Clark,.....	July	25, 1845	161 39	40 35
12,.....	160	J. H. Van Wormer,.....	July	14, 1847	161 38	40 38

RE-SALES OF 1844—Gore between Towns'p 11, Totten & Crossfield's Purchase, & Dartmouth Patent—

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
13,	224	Bates & Twiss,	Mar. 15, 1848	\$113 77	\$28 45
14,	38	A. E. Cherritree,	Dec. 13, 1851	3 80	95
15 and 35, ..	109, 72	Elisha Pendell,	Mar. 29, 1848	75 22	25 22
16,	180	Leonard Pasco,	Mar. 19, 1849	72 12	18 12
17,	160	A. E. Cherritree,	Dec. 13, 1851	16 00	4 00
18,	160	G. W. Kenyon,	Aug. 10, 1847	71 59	18 00
19,	160	W. C. Potter,	Mar. 23, 1848	87 81	21 96
20,	160	David Aldrich,	June 17, 1847	81 59	20 40
21,	160	J. W. Barrett,	Nov. 6, 1847	161 39	41 00
22,	160	James Cameron,	Mar. 13, 1845	161 38	40 35
23,	160	Daniel Stewart,	Jan. 23, 1845	94 22	23 56
25,	58	A. E. Cherritree,	Dec. 13, 1851	5 80	1 45
26,	91	Marvin Parker,	Oct. 18, 1848	46 00	28 00
27,	162	do	July 2, 1847	101 55	25 39
28,	160	A. E. Cherritree,	Dec. 13, 1851	16 00	4 00
29,	160	Elisha Pendell,	June 17, 1847	70 92	17 78
30,	160	Marvin Parker,	Nov. 3, 1848	80 00	20 00
31,	160	Orville Clark,	July 25, 1845	101 52	25 88
32,	160	Leonard Pasco,	May 26, 1846	81 55	20 39
33,	1,001	William Gray,	Dec. 26, 1853	158 62	38 62
34	72	John Parker,	Aug. 22, 1854	50 00	13 00
	144	Marvin Parker,	Oct. 18, 1848	50 00	25 00
		do	Nov. 8, 1848	64 00	16 00

38,	.....	160	Orville Clark,	.....	Feb.	10, 1845	106	55	35	53	No. 116.]
39,	.....	160	Leonard Pasco,	.....	Dec.	26, 1848	64	00	16	00	
40,	.....	55	C. L. Kenyon,	.....	Feb.	6, 1849	27	66	7	00	
41,	.....	126	do	.....	Feb.	6, 1849	63	16	16	00	
43,	.....	197	do	.....	Feb.	6, 1849	79	00	20	00	

UNBONDED LOTS.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
64,	160	<i>Lake George Tract.</i> Samuel Stevens,	Sept. 28, 1849	\$160 00	\$40 00
79,	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> W. C. Potter,	Mar. 3, 1847	43 80	10 95
80,	157	do	Mar. 3, 1847	38 92	9 73
91,	118	Leman Barnes,	May 29, 1845	37 79	9 45
102,	160	W. C. Potter,	Mar. 3, 1847	51 24	12 82
119,	138	L. Barnes,	May 29, 1845	42 90	10 73
4,	480	<i>South and adjoining Maul's Patent.</i> McDonald & Finch,	Sept. 12, 1845	70 91	70 91

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
363,	Amos S. Tryon,	Oct. 22, 1847	\$145 00	\$36 25
364,	do	Oct. 22, 1847	135 00	33 75
365,	Joseph Carter,	Oct. 22, 1847	135 00	33 75
366,	Nelson Cornell,	Oct. 22, 1847	165 00	41 25
367,	do	Oct. 22, 1847	165 00	41 25
368,	do	Oct. 22, 1847	305 00	76 25
369,	do	Oct. 22, 1847	200 00	50 00
370,	A. V. E. Hotchkiss,	Oct. 22, 1847	350 00	87 50
371,	Amos S. Tryon,	Oct. 22, 1847	200 00	50 00
372,	John Brown,	Oct. 22, 1847	140 00	35 00
373,	Patrick Kelley,	Oct. 22, 1847	100 00	25 00
374,	Joel Harris,	Oct. 22, 1847	101 00	26 00
375,	A. V. E. & H. F. Hotchkiss,	Oct. 22, 1847	100 00	25 00
376,	do	Oct. 22, 1847	100 00	25 00

RE-SALE OF Lots IN Old FORTIFICATION BLOCK IN WEST Oswego.

Lot.	Acres.	Name.	Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
1.	Robert Brown,	July 1, 1846	\$570 00	\$142 50
2.	do	July 1, 1846	660 00	165 00
3.	Thos. Barber,	July 1, 1846	405 00	101 25
4.	Robert Brown,	July 1, 1846	550 00	137 50
5.	Robert White,	July 1, 1846	400 00	100 00
6.	Hans Tovey,	July 1, 1846	610 00	152 50
7.	Abram Bennett,	July 1, 1846	565 00	141 25
8.	Jesse Oliver,	July 1, 1846	505 00	126 25
9.	Robert Bennett,	July 1, 1846	575 00	143 75
10.	Jesse Brown,	July 1, 1846	555 00	138 75
11.	Robert Bennett,	July 1, 1846	725 00	181 25
12.	Jesse Bennett,	July 1, 1846		

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2,.....	1	Hannibal Andrews,.....	April 27, 1865	\$6 00	\$6 00
3,.....	5	Wm. S. Paddock,	Dec. 11, 1847	34 92	34 92
4,.....	5	Elisha Howard,	Nov. 16, 1853	30 00	30 00
6,.....	$\frac{6\frac{1}{2}}{10}$	do	Nov. 16, 1853	3 25	3 25
7,.....	10	J. H. Ripley,	May 11, 1846	64 64	64 64
10,.....	$\frac{1\frac{3}{4}}{8}$	Joel Dunn,	Dec. 15, 1851	4 92	4 92
13,.....	8	R. H. Horton,.....	Oct. 20, 1846	70 00	17 50
14,.....	$1\frac{1}{4}$	E. E. Smith,	Oct. 5, 1853	7 95	7 95
15,.....	1	D. T. Bebee,.....	Sept. 1, 1852	13 09	13 09
17,.....	2	D. C. Judson,.....	Dec. 29, 1846	16 73	16 73
26,.....	$\frac{7\frac{1}{2}}{10}$	B. Phillips,	Mar. 8, 1853	6 00	6 00
27,.....	2	do	Dec. 12, 1849	14 84	14 84
28,.....	9	A. J. Smith,	Feb. 9, 1846	63 00	16 00
29,.....	9	L. & J. Stedman (unbonded),	July 10, 1846	59 58	15 00
33,.....	$\frac{1\frac{3}{4}}{11}$	B. Phillips,	Sept. 26, 1846	4 15	4 15
43,.....	11	Wm. Montague,.....	Oct. 20, 1846	66 00	16 50
44,.....	5	Francis Frege,	April 4, 1856	15 75	15 75
48,.....	2	Levi Payne,.....	Nov. 21, 1855	14 40	14 40
49,.....	13	Joshua Payne,	Oct. 17, 1851	65 00	30 00
55,.....	3	Joseph Bangle,.....	Nov. 17, 1855	10 50	10 50
56,.....	$\frac{1\frac{3}{4}}{20}$	Joseph Frege,.....	April 4, 1856	20 00	20 00
57,.....	20	U. H. Orvis,	April 30, 1849	100 00	100 00

RE-SALE OF LOTS IN OLD FORTIFICATION BLOCK No. 2, IN WEST OSWEGO.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
6,	Selah Baker,	July 1, 1846	\$1,265 00	\$316 25
7,	C. J. Burckle,	July 1, 1846	1,125 00	281 25
8,	Albert Crane,	July 1, 1846	1,070 00	320 00
9,	do	July 1, 1846	1,080 00	330 00
10,	Hunter Crane,	July 1, 1846	1,700 00	425 00
13, 14, 81 & 82,	Syracuse & Oswego Railroad Company,	April 25, 1854	6,500 00	1,625 00
31,	Carrington & Pardee,	July 1, 1846	125 00	31 25
32,	do	July 1, 1846	100 00	25 00
35,	Jesse Bennett,	July 1, 1846	135 00	33 75
37,	do	July 1, 1846	140 00	35 00
38,	do	July 1, 1846	125 00	31 25
42,	Thos. Dobbe,	July 1, 1846	110 00	27 50
44,	Geo. S. Weeks,	July 1, 1846	215 00	53 75
45,	L. Paddock,	July 1, 1846	190 00	47 50
46,	do	July 1, 1846	150 00	37 50
47,	do	July 1, 1846	180 00	45 00
48,	J. M. & J. Crolius,	July 1, 1846	95 00	23 75
49,	A. W. Perry,	July 1, 1846	175 00	43 75
50,	J. M. & J. Crolius,	July 1, 1846	170 00	42 50
51,	Angus Kerr,	July 1, 1846	160 00	40 00
52,	do	July 1, 1846	115 00	29 00
73,	Jesse Bennett,	July 1, 1846	110 00	27 50

74,	.....	do	.....	July	1, 1846	115 00	28 75
90,	.....	Hunter Crane,	.....	July	1, 1846	125 00	31 25
92,	.....	Carrington & Pardee,	.....	July	1, 1846	125 00	31 25
100,	.....	Jesse Bennett,	.....	July	1, 1846	125 00	31 25
102,	.....	Samuel Lewis,	.....	July	1, 1846	185 00	50 00
106,	.....	do	.....	July	1, 1846	165 00	50 00
108,	.....	Chas. Wray,	.....	July	1, 1846	165 00	41 25
110,	.....	Jesse Bennett,	.....	July	1, 1846	145 00	36 25
111,	.....	do	.....	July	1, 1846	135 00	33 75
112,	.....	Carrington & Pardee,	.....	July	1, 1846	155 00	38 75
114,	.....	P. J. Van Patten,	.....	July	1, 1846	140 00	35 00
119,	.....	John Mahan,	.....	July	1, 1846	350 00	87 50
122,	.....	L. Paddock,	.....	July	1, 1846	1,175 00	293 75
123,	.....	C. J. Burckle,	.....	July	1, 1846	1,230 00	307 50
127,	.....	E. K. Barnum,	.....	July	1, 1846	1,225 00	306 25

RE-SALES OF 1851 — *New Stockbridge, Southwest Part.*

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.		Consideration.	Amount paid.
1, W. $\frac{1}{4}$, . . .	50	Lyman Bliss,	May	28, 1851	\$372 08	\$93 08
1, E. $\frac{1}{4}$, . . .	50	A. O. Austin,	May	28, 1851	386 93	96 93
8,	30	Gerrit Smith,	May	28, 1851	225 42	56 47
8,	37	do	May	28, 1851	292 40	73 40
9, rem. of, . .	95	do	May	28, 1851	839 86	209 86
10,	50	Orrin Austin,	May	28, 1851	293 60	73 60
10,	40	do Clark's part,	May	28, 1851	398 93	99 93
10,	10	do Wilbur's part,	May	28, 1851	112 80	28 80
12, rem. of, . .	26	S. Dickey,	May	28, 1851	314 56	78 56
12,	43	do Brown's part,	May	28, 1851	318 85	79 85
<i>Cowassalon Tract.</i>						
22,	33	Gerrit Smith,	May	28, 1851	316 55	79 55
22,	55	S. Watson,	May	28, 1851	549 83	137 83
22,	24	Seneca Eddy, Brown's part,	May	28, 1851	244 34	61 34
22,	22	S. Watson, Palmer's part,	May	28, 1851	223 68	55 68
<i>Oneida Reservation, Northwest Part.</i>						
38,	209	P. R. Main,	May	28, 1851	1,247 45	1,247 45
42,	168	Oliver Teall,	May	28, 1851	197 53	197 53
<i>First Pagan Purchase.</i>						
79,	40	Jabez Brown, Smith's part,	May	28, 1851	499 24	499 24

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
13,.....	2	<i>Oneida Castle.</i> John W. Eddy,	Feb. 14, 1855	\$40 90	\$20 90
70,.....	66	<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation—Farm Lots.</i> Hosea Case,	Feb. 14, 1855	388 80	388 80
36,.....	10	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1802.</i> Joseph Palmer,	May 25, 1855	69 03	18 03
18,.....	3	<i>Oneida Castle.</i> Daniel G. Dorrance,	Oct. 16, 1855	140 39	35 39
13,.....	110	<i>Skeenesborough, West Bounds.</i> Isaac V. Baker,	Oct. 16, 1855	41 41	10 41
14,.....	153	do	Oct. 16, 1855	81 39	20 39
15,.....	158	do	Oct. 16, 1855	85 66	21 66
16,.....	158	do	Oct. 16, 1855	67 11	16 11

RE-SALES OF 1847.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
6, Bl'k 9,...	<i>Oneida Castle.</i> Harvey Baldwin,	April 1, 1847	\$40 64	\$10 16
92, 93,.....	<i>Manlius.</i> (Remainder formerly mortgaged by B. S. Parsons.) Isaac W. Brewster,	Nov. 13, 1847	250 00	63 00
9, Bl'k 15,.. 2, do 32,.. do 42,.. 1, do 74,.. 2, do 74,.. 3, do 74,..	<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation.</i> <i>Village of Geddes.</i> Harvey Baldwin,	Feb. 20, 1849	76 00	19 00
		George B. Walter,	April 1, 1847	102 00	25 50
		Woolson & Clift,	April 1, 1847	318 00	79 50
		H. Baldwin,	April 1, 1847	26 02	6 51
		do	April 1, 1847	24 39	6 10
		do	April 1, 1847	24 39	6 10
Block 16,	<i>Liverpool.</i> John Matthews,	April 1, 1847	165 00	41 25
Bl'k 82, rem., 5, Bl'k 131,..	<i>Village of Salina.</i> Thomas G. Alvord,	April 1, 1847	260 00	65 00
		Jefferson Phillips,	Feb. 20, 1849	450 00	112 50

12, Block 80,	.....	<i>Syracuse.</i> Harvey Baldwin,	April 1, 1847	227 93	56 99
42, Outer lot,	.....	<i>Village of Lewiston.</i> Gerrit Smith,	April 1, 1847	147 64	36 91
66,	160	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> A. J. Rosseau,	April 1, 1847	90 00	22 50
190,	124	A. C. Hand,	April 1, 1847	63 69	16 00
34,	155	<i>North River Head Tract.</i> A. J. Rosseau,	April 1, 1847	71 34	17 84
13,	111	<i>Old Military Tract—Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i> N. & J. Nichols,	July 10, 1847	79 92	79 92
75,	150	<i>Townships 1 & 2 — Richards' Survey.</i> Bickford & Darling,	April 1, 1847	80 60	20 15
14,	160	<i>Paradox Tract.</i> Hiram Buck,	April 1, 1847	220 04	55 04
102,	165	Abijah Smith, Jr.,	Nov. 10, 1847	158 60	39 65
105,	144	H. H. Smith,	Aug. 13, 1847	137 41	34 36
117,	125	O. L. Knox,	April 1, 1847	78 24	19 56
147,	122	Buck & Knox,	April 1, 1847	127 68	31 92
68,	424	<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i> Wm. C. Potter,	Dec. 31, 1847	98 36	24 59

RE-SALES OF 1847—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
81,	160	<i>Schroon Tract.</i> Joseph Russell,	Jan. 3, 1850	\$160 00	\$40 00
150,	159	<i>Tract West of Road Patents.</i> George W. Esty,	April 11, 1850	86 86	20 86
156,	144	Orville Clark,	Nov. 23, 1847	96 28	24 07
162,	146	do	Nov. 23, 1847	105 72	26 43
168,	79	Andrew Porteus,	Nov. 22, 1850	54 33	13 33
172,	155	John Dougherty,	Nov. 12, 1850	100 63	25 63
173,	66	Smith & Richards,	Dec. 30, 1847	32 92	32 92
346,	199	<i>Old Military Tract—Township 9.</i> Wm. King,	Mar. 9, 1848	110 67	27 67
177, .....	.....	<i>Township 10.</i> Anna E. Cherritree,	July 9, 1852	20 00	5 00
220, .....	.....	Wm. Mead,	April 3, 1852	66 21	16 21
76,	160	<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i> L. C. P. Seely,	Oct. 18, 1848	80 00	40 00
		<i>Luzerne Tract.</i> Maver,	Oct. 28, 1847	126 80	32 00

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91,	147	James D. Weston,	April 1, 1847	65 41	16 38
156,	138	Harris & Mead,	Aug. 30, 1847	188 50	47 13
82,	95	<i>North West Bay Tract.</i> J. J. Harris,	Oct. 18, 1848	58 00	58 00
32,	220	<i>Tongue Mountain Tract.</i> Joseph Galusha,	Aug. 15, 1847	235 92	59 00
118,	124	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> { Charles Stearns (unbonded),	April 1, 1847	96 00	24 00
		{ John Hillibert,	July 31, 1850		24 00
65,	155	<i>Oxbow Tract.</i> Wm. Stevens, 2d,	Oct. 30, 1848	46 47	11 62
81,	155	Samuel Stevens,	Oct. 30, 1848	46 47	11 62
166,	155	Truman Hamlin,	April 1, 1847	100 02	25 02
167,	155	do	April 1, 1847	148 19	37 04
280,	217	L. Van Buskirk,	Oct. 23, 1848	43 49	21 49
297,	239	L. Gumand,	Nov. 2, 1848	47 90	23 90
129,					
191,					
226,					
227,					
232,					
243,					
276,					
277,					
278,					
304,					
	3,242	W. C. H. Waddell,	Mar. 26, 1851	486 37	486 37
		Sold by resolution of L. O. Commissioners, at 15 cents per acre.			

RE-SALES OF 1847—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 32, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 77, 81, 82, 83, 86, 87, 88, 102, 103, 132, 139, 148, 175, 176, 212, 304, of 160 ac. each, is 5,120 acr's. 29,		<i>Benson Township.</i> Sold by resolution of Land Office Commissioners of March 4, 1851, at 15 cents per acre, to W. C. H. Waddell,	Mar. 26, 1851	\$768 00	\$768 00
	160	John D. Stewart,	Dec. 20, 1850	32 00	32 00
1, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10, . . . 11, 12, 13, . . . 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27,	522 696 524 ⁷ / ₈ 800 800 640	<i>Moose River Tract—Township No. 9.</i> Granted to the Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga Railroad Company, per act, chap. 122, Laws of 1855.			

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RE-SALES OF 1847 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
Whole to'ship	9,779 $\frac{27}{100}$	<i>Moose River Tract — Township No. 10.</i> Granted to Sacketts Harbor and Saratoga R. R. Co., Oct. 5, 1855, per act, chap. 122, Laws of 1855,	Oct. 5, 1855		
Literature lot, sub. 6, ..	108	<i>Warren Township.</i> Theodore P. Childs,	Oct. 7, 1850	\$406 80	\$101 80
98, do 3, ..	119	<i>Solon Township.</i> John L. Boyd,	April 19, 1848	405 34	101 34
14, 15, S. side of State st., ..	.....	<i>City of Albany.</i> Premises mortgaged by J. V. N. Yates. William Austin,	Nov. 11, 1847	646 75	161 69
10, S. part, .. 13, W. part,	52 62	<i>New Stockbridge Mile Tract.</i> Timothy Smith,	Nov. 11, 1847	280 69	70 18
		do	Nov. 11, 1847	328 68	82 17
23,	12	<i>Purchase of 1825.</i> Timothy Smith (Fowler's part),	Nov. 11, 1847	72 68	18 17
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7,	74	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1840.</i>					356	52
11,	74	Lyman Goff,	Nov.	11, 1847	1,426	02	1,426	02
12,	75	Isaac Moore,	Nov.	11, 1847	1,552	78	1,552	78
22,	110	P. Armour,	Nov.	11, 1847	1,831	62	1,831	62
23,	56	M. E. Hitchcock,	Nov.	11, 1847	4,427	20	4,427	20
		do	Nov.	11, 1847	2,064	81	2,064	81
		<i>Oneida Purchase of March 8th, 1841.</i>						
4,	21	N. B. Ney,	Nov.	11, 1847	499	56	499	56
5,	50	J. L. Stevenson,	Nov.	11, 1847	1,465	30	1,465	30
2, Bl'k 131,		<i>Onondaga Salt Spr'gs Reservation, Vil. of Salina.</i>						
		Jefferson Phillips,	Feb.	20, 1849	350	00	350	00
		<i>Syracuse.</i>						
14, do 80,		H. Ackerman,	Feb.	20, 1849	480	00	480	00
21,	100	<i>Jonas Morgan's Patent of 4,800 acres.</i>						
		Premises formerly mortgaged by Lyman Smith.						
		R. A. Loveland,	Feb.	20, 1857	200	00	200	00
2,	120	<i>Old Mil. Tract, Towns'ps 1, 2, Richards' Survey.</i>						
61,	422	J. & M. Gilmore (Gilmore's part),	April	10, 1848	168	55	168	55
		J. F. Huntington,	April	10, 1848	105	68	105	68
376,	160	<i>Township No. 11.</i>						
		Oliver D. Peabody,	Nov.	11, 1847	44	00	44	00
225,	135	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>						
		E. F. Williams,	Nov.	11, 1847	144	00	144	00

RE-SALES OF 1849.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
36, remain'r,	43	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1840.</i> John A. House,	Feb. 15, 1849	\$730 36	\$182 36
30,	134	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> John Hilliburt,	Feb. 15, 1849	40 45	10 45
65,	146	do	Feb. 15, 1849	52 49	13 49
150,	95	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> John Hilliburt,	Feb. 15, 1849	37 36	9 36
1, .....	.....	<i>South Village of Black Rock, as laid out by Henry Lovejoy in 1847.</i> Buell & Haggart,	Oct. 20, 1847	355 00	90 00
2, .....	.....	do	Oct. 20, 1847	340 00	85 00
3, .....	.....	Win. Day,	Oct. 20, 1847	410 00	102 50
4, .....	.....	Weisser & Brunck,	Aug. 26, 1857	1,550 00	387 50
5, .....	.....	Barnes & Miller,	Aug. 26, 1857	1,455 00	363 75
6, .....	.....	do	Aug. 26, 1857	1,510 00	377 50
7, .....	.....	do	Aug. 26, 1857	1,505 00	376 25
8, .....	.....	Weisser & Brunck,	Aug. 26, 1857	1,355 00	338 75
9,	Bird & Holley,	Oct. 20, 1847	405 00	102 00
10,	do	Oct. 20, 1847	405 00	102 00
11,	A. Hayden,	Oct. 20, 1847	389 00	95 00

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12,	do	Oct.	20, 1847	410 00	102 50
13,	Bird & Holley,	Oct.	20, 1847	405 00	102 00
14,	Albert Hayden,	Oct.	20, 1847	405 00	101 25
15,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	430 00	107 50
16,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	505 00	126 25
17,	.....	E. D. Efner,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	355 00	89 00
18,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	310 00	78 00
19,	.....	A. Hayden,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	295 00	73 75
20,	.....	H. W. Rogers,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	290 00	72 50
21,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	245 00	61 25
22,	.....	E. D. Efner,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	175 00	44 00
23,	.....	A. Hayden,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	180 00	45 00
24,	.....	E. D. Efner,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	200 00	50 00
25,	.....	P. Dorsheimer,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	200 00	50 00
26,	.....	Levi Love,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	200 00	50 00
27,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	175 00	43 75
28,	.....	Geo. R. Babcock,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	150 00	37 50
29,	.....	E. D. Efner,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	150 00	38 00
30,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	100 00	25 00
31,	.....	do	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	125 00	32 00
32,	.....	Robert Coveny,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	105 00	26 25
33,	.....	N. W. Kenton,	.....	Oct.	20, 1847	230 00	57 50

RE-SALES OF 1857.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Basin Lots in Albany.</i>			
3, .....	.....	Edward G. Martin,	Dec. 8, 1866	\$800 00	\$200 00
5, .....	.....	do	Dec. 8, 1866	800 00	200 00
		<i>Benson Township.</i>			
231,	160	B. R. Hasbrook,	Nov. 17, 1858	30 24	30 24
244,	160	do	Nov. 17, 1858	44 86	44 86
245,	160	do	Nov. 17, 1858	30 24	30 24
272,	160	Sacketts Harbor Railroad Co., granted in 1856.			
273,	160	B. R. Hasbrook,	Nov. 17, 1858	30 24	30 24
		<i>Essex Tract.</i>			
98, remain'r,	125	James H. Purmort,	Dec. 16, 1857	19 85	19 85
208, S. part, .	103	O. H. Bartlett,	Dec. 16, 1857	151 65	37 91
224,	188	R. C. R. Chase,	Dec. 16, 1857	175 00	44 00
232,	120	Hiram Buck,	Dec. 16, 1857	98 76	24 69
		<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>			
44,	113	H. & L. W. McKenzie,	Dec. 16, 1857	80 50	25 00
146, rem. of, .	19	M. Miller,	Dec. 16, 1857	24 86	24 86
158,	32	H. Buck,	Dec. 16, 1857	57 35	14 35

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Jay Tract.									
23,	177	H. O. Peabody,	July	25, 1861	50 00	50 00			
25,	278	B. B. Heustice,	Sept.	2, 1859	46 52	46 52			
40,	365	Artemus Beach,	Nov.	17, 1858	77 29	20 29			
44,	390	N. B. Markham,	Dec.	16, 1857	95 92	24 00			
71,	40	B. Higgins (Miller and Cooper's part),	Dec.	16, 1857	78 00	19 50			
77, part of, .	177	Charles F. Taber,	July	3, 1858	199 92	100 00			
87, part of, .	61	B. R. Hasbrook,	Dec.	16, 1857	100 00	25 00			
103,	107	N. B. Squires,	May	28, 1857	86 42	22 42			
Paradox Tract.									
123,	140	H. Buck,	Dec.	16, 1857	95 14	23 78			
124,	122	do	May	1, 1858	86 40	21 60			
402,	156	Eli B. Rogers,	April	28, 1865	193 60	193 60			
405,	166	Thomas Golden,	Mar.	23, 1858	131 41	131 41			
Peru Bay Tract.									
104,	139	John Jones,	Dec.	16, 1857	185 48	46 38			
115,	250	R. H. Fuller,	Mar.	26, 1858	310 09	73 00			
Lysander.									
66, sub. 3, ..	129	Elias Cox,	Dec.	23, 1857	319 48	80 00			

RE-SALES OF 1858.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
18, .....	.....	<i>Arsenal Lot in Albany.</i>	April 18, 1859	\$278 47	\$278 47
		Heman Mather,			
		<i>Arsenal Lot in Town of Russel, St. Lawrence Co.</i>	April 16, 1860	100 00	25 00
		Smith & Derby,			
		<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>			
12,	160	Solon Bevins,	Mar. 11, 1859	120 76	30 76
63,	160	Thomas E. Bolton,	July 13, 1865	164 45	164 45
76,	160	Wm. Hotchkiss,	Aug. 27, 1859	62 41	62 41
82,	160	Gray, Burhans & Pierce,	Oct. 14, 1858	114 02	28 52
130,	160	E. A. Barker,	June 29, 1859	144 43	36 43
137,	160	Samuel Underwood,	May 7, 1859	133 77	33 44
209,	160	H. Buck,	Jan. 27, 1859	267 47	66 87
245,	131	do	Jan. 27, 1859	153 45	38 36
		<i>Crumhorn Mountain Tract.</i>			
24,	80	H. D. Spencer,	Oct. 14, 1858	133 43	133 43
		<i>Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.</i>			
147,	180	H. R. Noble,	Jan. 28, 1859	51 02	12 00
166,	160	N. B. Squires,	June 30, 1859	55 35	18 84
212,	176	N. C. Boynton,	Jan. 27, 1859	111 26	30 00

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First Pagan Purchase.					
78, Littlefi's part,	40	J. & A. Thompson,	Oct. 14, 1858	473 94	118 94
Gore along Refugee Tract.					
1,	211	James Barr,	April 23, 1864	126 64	31 66
2,	159	Alexander Milne,	April 8, 1863	158 12	40 00
20, remaid'r,	70	Monroe Hall,	Oct. 4, 1864	49 39	12 39
21,	136	A. G. Rosboro,	April 19, 1859	206 13	51 53
Gore between Township 11, Totten and Crossfield's Purchase, and Dartmouth Patent.					
6,	160	Linus B. Barnes,	Oct. 14, 1858	117 80	29 45
11,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1858	219 06	54 76
12,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1858	209 13	52 28
19,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1858	124 75	31 18
31,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1858	141 67	35 41
38,	160	do	Oct. 14, 1858	124 09	31 09
Au Long Sault Island.					
30,	52	Hiram Buck,	Oct. 14, 1858	62 71	15 71
Grand Island, in Niagara River.					
6,	157	J. M. Smith,	Oct. 14, 1858	1,846 26	461 57
11,	152	do	Oct. 14, 1858	757 55	189 39
12,	143	do	Oct. 14, 1858	245 11	61 28
114,	109	do	Oct. 14, 1858	126 40	31 60

RE-SALES OF 1858—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Military Townships—Sempronius.</i>			
11,	S.E. 100	J. L. Downer,	Oct. 14, 1858	\$719 94	\$180 94
57, sub. 8,...	24	do	Oct. 14, 1858	99 81	24 81
		<i>Virgil.</i>			
85, remaind'r,	76	H. L. Barnes,	Aug. 12, 1859	276 42	69 42
		<i>Cicero.</i>			
68, sub. 3,...	172	Alfred W. Harris,	June 14, 1859	345 31	86 00
		<i>Hannibal.</i>			
17, do 2,...	27	A. W. Langdon,	Oct. 14, 1858	184 89	46 89
		<i>Solon.</i>			
30, do 4,...	114	Barnes & Buck,	Oct. 14, 1858	309 88	80 00
		<i>Moose River Tract—Township No. 3.</i>			
76, 77, 78, 88, 89, 90, 100, 101, 102, 112, 113, 114, 124, 125, 126, 136, 137, 138, in all	2,688	F. N. Benedict,	April 9, 1859	430 83	107 70

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4,	21	<i>New Stockbridge—Guinea Tract.</i>	Oct.	14, 1858	146 98	36 98
		John Spaulding (Edson's part),				
3,	29	<i>Mile Tract.</i>	Oct.	14, 1858	119 91	29 91
		Sands Higginbotham (Carter's part),				
1, .....	.....	<i>New York City.</i>	Oct.	14, 1858	500 57	125 57
		(Of parcel 27, in the 12th ward, formerly mort- gaged by T. J. F. Jackson.)				
		Stephen H. Hammond,				
56,	160	<i>North River Head Tract.</i>	Jan.	15, 1859	77 46	77 46
59,	160	F. P. Fletcher,	Dec.	31, 1866	112 00	28 00
66,	160	David Wilson,	Nov.	30, 1860	86 77	86 77
91, 119,	256	John A. Lee,	Feb.	16, 1865	179 20	44 40
128,	160	Putnam, Williams & Abell,	Oct.	14, 1858	98 65	29 65
129,	120	David Wilson,	Oct.	14, 1858	39 90	9 90
		do				
	23	<i>Meadow Island, in Seneca River.</i>	Oct.	14, 1858	105 00	26 00
		Willis W. Sittser,				
59,	190	<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>	April	19, 1859	162 97	40 75
86,	65	O. Goodman,	Nov.	25, 1863	153 68	153 68
		Ira G. Frasier,				
4, 5,	1,270	<i>Lawrence's Patent.</i>	Oct.	14, 1858	220 00	55 00
21, 34, 41, ..	1,905	N. O. Bleekman,	Oct.	14, 1858	261 96	65 49
		A. R. Lawrence,				

RE-SALES OF 1858 — Lawrence's Patent — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
33,	635	A. R. Lawrence,	Oct. 14, 1858	\$89 80	\$22 90
42, 44,	1,270	do	Oct. 14, 1858	158 97	39 74
7,	126	<i>Luzerne Tract.</i>			
9,	193	Delight Thayer,	Jan. 15, 1859	158 35	39 58
23,	65	do	Jan. 15, 1859	375 32	93 42
47,	187	Jonathan Dean (Smith's part),	April 20, 1859	171 54	42 89
54,	154	James Baldwin,	Sept. 2, 1859	184 83	46 83
60,	160	do	Sept. 2, 1859	127 69	31 69
61,	116	Samuel Freeman,	Sept. 27, 1859	339 93	84 93
83,	159	Wm. H. Mosher,	Aug. 4, 1859	261 81	100 00
		Walter Gage,	Aug. 30, 1865	158 91	39 91
29,	124	<i>Massachusetts Ten Townships.</i>			
		Amon W. Langdon,	Oct. 14, 1858	242 32	60 32
2, Block 12,	.....	<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>			
11, do 15,	.....	Cyrus Peckham,	Oct. 14, 1858	227 73	57 73
		Henry Ney,	Oct. 14, 1858	155 71	39 71
5, remaind'r,	30	<i>First Oneida Purchase of 1829.</i>			
		B. F. Barber,	Oct. 14, 1858	131 66	33 00

9, rem.,...	53	<i>Purchase of 1830 — Orchard Party.</i>					308 84
9,	3 $\frac{0}{100}$	G. W. Van Sevall,.....	Oct.	14, 1858	1,232 84	18 79	
		S. Higginbotham (Carter's part),.....	Oct.	14, 1858	73 79		
15, rem.,...	45	<i>Purchase of 1834.</i>					247 47
15,	10	Timothy Smith,	Oct.	14, 1858	988 47	42 43	
		James Faulkner (Carter's part),.....	Oct.	14, 1858	169 70		
34,	70	<i>Purchase of 1840.</i>					270 27
		D. Hubbard,.....	Oct.	14, 1858	1,081 27		
3, Bl'k P.B.,	.	<i>City of Syracuse.</i>					194 83
4, do	.....	James W. Clark,	July	20, 1865	776 83	200 67
		do	July	24, 1865	800 67		
29,	<i>Village of West Oswego.</i>					107 56
30, .....	.....	(Old Fortification Block No. 2.)	Oct.	14, 1858	430 25	71 87
103, .....	.....	Edwin Crosswell,.....	Oct.	14, 1858	287 49	125 40
104, .....	.....	do	Oct.	14, 1858	501 63	71 87
115, .....	.....	do	Oct.	14, 1858	287 49	107 56
120, undivid'd	.....	do	Oct.	14, 1858	430 45	
$\frac{1}{3}$ of,.....	.....	do	Oct.	14, 1858	929 89	232 47
1,	74	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1840, per Act, Chapter 161, Laws of 1850.</i>					698 96
3,	74	Wm. H. Moot,.....	Nov.	1, 1850	740 00	540 43	
		John Moot,.....	Nov.	1, 1850	510 00		

RE-SALES OF 1858 — Oneida Purchase of 1840, per Chap. 161, Laws of 1850 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
4, W. $\frac{1}{4}$,	36	John Moot,	Nov. 1, 1850	\$450 00	\$531 50
4, E. $\frac{1}{4}$,	36	Ira Morris,	Nov. 1, 1850	450 00	281 35
5,	44	Lewis Betsinger,	Nov. 1, 1850	396 00	234 85
5,	30	David Boyer,	Nov. 1, 1850	270 00	158 40
6,	73	Hiram Loucks,	Nov. 1, 1850	955 63	510 85
7,	74	Lyman Goff,	Nov. 1, 1850	962 00	770 99
8,	73	Ira Morris,	Nov. 1, 1850	736 30	826 71
9,	74	Wm. C. Wormuth,	Nov. 1, 1850	962 00	852 35
11,	74	John H. Vedder,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,115 40	839 55
12,	75	S. B. Armour,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,200 00	990 39
13,	60	} Oliver P. Root,	Nov. 1, 1850	893 60	871 71
13,	10				
14,	87	N. B. Ney,	Nov. 1, 1850	2,001 75	1,005 00
15,	12	} Delos W. Cole,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,812 00	1,333 39
15,	96				
16,	95	N. B. Ney,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,910 00	978 32
17,	96	James Bonner,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,684 37	1,365 87
18,	100	Erastus Withey,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,810 80	1,617 05
19,	97	S. B. Johnson,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,699 60	1,136 55
20,	55	Wm. Hamilton,	Nov. 1, 1850	836 25	464 41
20,	55	Geo. Cragin,	Nov. 1, 1850	892 00	642 64
21,	98	Dexter Hubbard,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,674 50	997 08
22,	110	M. E. Hitchcock,	Nov. 1, 1850	2,750 00	2,198 05

23,	.....	56	do	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,191 75	1,024 95
24,	.....	50	Aaron Morris,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	913 50	542 43
24,	.....	15	Robert Menzie,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	237 75	168 63
24,	.....	25	Frederick Bovee,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	400 00	301 98
24,	.....	10	Abram Bovee,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	150 00	116 14
25,	.....	10	John Moyer,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	150 00	128 52
25,	.....	10	Geo. Cragin,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	185 30	182 85
25,	.....	80	Baker & Abbott,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,375 30	157 04
26,	.....	86	Hiram Powers,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,513 75	1,098 30
27,	.....	67	Josiah Hewitt,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,075 20	552 59
28,	.....	27	Wm. French,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	486 00	201 64
28,	.....	10	John Tipple,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	170 00	74 66
28,	.....	18	Nathaniel French,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	312 37	137 16
28,	.....	18	Jabez Pavier,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	312 37	137 16
28,	.....	6	Oliver E. Bryant,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	113 05	49 66
29,	.....	19	John Tipple,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	308 00	216 95
29,	.....	20	B. Allen,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	340 00	214 20
29,	.....	12	Win. French,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	192 00	114 71
30,	.....	67	H. B. & L. Petrie,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,140 70	884 39
30,	.....	6	James Francis,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	103 70	8 40
31,	.....	43	J. Ransom, Jr.,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	790 74	705 28
31,	.....	35	H. Parsons,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	674 50	540 92
31,	.....	17	George Cragin,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	301 41	297 18
32,	.....	63	David Gregg,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,260 00	837 00
33,	.....	39	Charles Olmsted,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	864 60	773 00
33,	.....	91	H. L. Olmsted,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,915 20	1,807 08
34,	.....	70	H. H. Cleveland,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,197 50	664 05
35,	.....	94	Roswell Downing,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	1,786 00	1,243 76
36,	.....	23	E. R. Crane,	.....	Nov.	1, 1850	235 00	218 61

RE-SALES OF 1858 — Onaida Purchase of 1840 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale. 1858.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
36,	43	John A. House,	Nov. 1, 1850	\$568 10	\$391 77
38,	50	Preston Stoddard,	Nov. 1, 1850	509 20	362 78
37,	42	John A. House,	Nov. 1, 1850	638 50	520 19
Purchase of March 8, 1841.					
1,	81	David Buryea,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,639 00	905 54
2,	22	C. G. Parker,	Nov. 1, 1850	357 00	254 75
3,	22	John Morris,	Nov. 1, 1850	352 00	199 38
4,	10	{ Joshua Van Loon,	Nov. 1, 1850	347 60	244 52
4,	10				
5,	50	J. L. Stevenson,	Nov. 1, 1850	954 75	718 33
7,	36	J. C. Sherwood,	Nov. 1, 1850	803 00	444 92
Purchase of March 13, 1841.					
1,	57	Roswell Downing,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,091 36	653 31
2,	80	Wm. Cramer,	Nov. 1, 1850	1,760 00	648 00
3,	80	Henry Truax,	Nov. 1, 1850	2,000 00	1,602 96

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>New Stockbridge, Northeast Part.</i>			
9, Knox's p.,	16	Timothy Smith,	Sept. 6, 1859	\$196 04	\$49 04
10,	50	do	Sept. 6, 1859	576 88	144 88
		<i>Southwest Part.</i>			
1, E. $\frac{1}{4}$,	50	Elam Austin,	Sept. 6, 1859	378 00	92 00
8, remaind'r,	32	do	Sept. 6, 1859	371 98	91 98
11, do	55	V. M. Armour,	Sept. 6, 1859	505 78	128 78
11, W. $\frac{1}{4}$,	55	do	Sept. 6, 1859	505 76	126 76
13,	15	John Nash,	Sept. 6, 1859	128 43	32 43
14, remaind'r,	74	G. W. Ellenwood,	Sept. 6, 1859	622 62	155 62
17, do	37	do	Sept. 6, 1859	251 12	62 12
		<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>			
19, E. part, ..	50	C. T. Huntington,	Sept. 6, 1859	313 61	78 61
		<i>Guinea Tract.</i>			
2,	6	G. W. Ellenwood,	Sept. 6, 1859	109 05	27 05
3,	9	do	Sept. 6, 1859	80 73	20 73
		<i>Purchase of 1825.</i>			
7,	53	Elisha Nelson,	Dec. 6, 1859	1,047 42	261 85
15, remaind'r,	37	Timothy Smith,	Sept. 6, 1859	379 23	94 23

RE-SALES OF 1859 — Purchase of 1825 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
21,	21	Timothy Smith,	Sept. 6, 1859	\$203 47	\$50 47
23,	12	C. T. Huntington,	Sept. 6, 1859	113 14	29 14
-		<i>Second Oneida Purchase of 1829.</i>			
15&16, rem.,	33	Timothy Jenkins,	Sept. 6, 1859	37 63	37 63
		<i>Oneida Creek Tract.</i>			
83,	128	Rufus Eldred,	Sept. 6, 1859	988 15	247 04
		<i>Oneida Purchase of 1826.</i>			
12, rem'nd'r,	50	S. Chapman,	Sept. 6, 1859	527 84	132 00
		<i>Oneida Purchase of 1824.</i>			
25, W. ½, ...	60	C. T. Huntington,	Sept. 6, 1859	403 47	100 47
		<i>Oneida Purchase of 1834.</i>			
25,	23	Salmon Strong,	Sept. 6, 1859	436 40	116 40
		<i>Albany City.</i>			
		<i>Premises mortgaged by H. C. Southwick.</i>			
1 and 20, ...	.....	J. Howard King,	Sept. 6, 1859	62 71	62 71

125, 187, 201, 203, 208, 209, 210, 232, in all	1,280	<i>Benson Township.</i> Bradley & Underwood,.....	June 28, 1866	896 00	224 00
5, 6, 7 & 8, ... 9, 11, 22 & 23,	800 800	<i>Arthurboro' Patent.</i> Morehouse 8,000 Acre Lot. Josiah Letchworth, do	Mar. 26, 1863 Mar. 26, 1863	164 40 156 98	164 40 156 98
239,	158	<i>Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.</i> A. W. Langdon,.....	Dec. 13, 1859	177 11	44 28
10,	200	<i>Fort Ann Tract.</i> Alvah Benton,	Dec. 7, 1859	55 68	55 68
51,	146	<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i> F. P. Fletcher,	Sept. 6, 1859	46 07	46 07
5,	117	<i>Jay Tract.</i> Monroe Hall, Field's part,	Sept. 6, 1859	106 95	26 95
10,	158	do S. Bump's part,	Aug. 16, 1864	110 60	27 65
10,	50	do D. Bump's part,	Aug. 16, 1864	35 00	9 00
11,	200	Mary M. Ney,	May 18, 1864	205 50	52 00
12,	184	Eliza Comstock,	May 8, 1866	128 80	32 20
41,	100	T. A. Tomlinson,	Sept. 6, 1859	45 30	11 32
Block 30, .....	.....	<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation.</i> <i>Liverpool.</i> Walter Godard,	Sept. 6, 1859	112 32	112 32

RE-SALES OF 1859 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
2, rem. b'k36,	<i>Salina.</i>	Sept. 6, 1859	\$499 78	\$124 78
14, part,	<i>Pasture Lot in Salina, surveyed by J. Geddes.</i>	Sept. 6, 1859	75 80	18 95
11, rem. b'k80,	<i>Syracuse.</i>	Nov. 7, 1860	258 83	64 83
13, rem. b'k80,	do	Nov. 7, 1860	391 18	98 18
5, block I,	<i>Lands lying North of Church Street and West of Salina Street.</i>	April 18, 1866	595 98	202 00
6, " I,	Alex. McKinstry,	Nov. 15, 1865	633 20	158 20
7, " I,	Lewis Westfall,	Nov. 15, 1865	663 52	165 88
8, " I,	Chas. Kruger,	June 28, 1865	828 90	208 90
18, " J,	A. J. Woodruff,	May 28, 1863	750 00	187 50
8, " 192,	<i>Lands lying South of Erie Canal and East of West Street.</i>	Jan. 6, 1860	215 35	215 35

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RE-SALES OF 1859 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Onondaga Purchase of 1817.</i>			
6,	13	C. Vandenburg (Vandenburg's part),	Sept. 6, 1859	\$185 16	\$46 16
13,	25	S. V. Dubois,	Sept. 6, 1859	384 00	96 00
13,	48	H. E. Clarke (Clarke's part),	Sept. 6, 1859	626 81	156 81
13,	11	S. V. Dubois,	Sept. 6, 1859	173 31	43 31
13,	10	do	Sept. 6, 1859	108 70	27 70
14, rem., ..	28	John Anderson,	Sept. 6, 1859	402 83	101 83
14,	28	John Anderson (Cornell's part),	Sept. 6, 1859	398 89	99 89
21, rem., ...	33	Executors of John Shaw,	Sept. 6, 1859	437 72	110 72
		<i>Onondaga Residence Reservation.</i>			
		<i>Purchase of 1822.</i>			
5, rem., ...	40	T. T. Stearns,	Sept. 6, 1859	404 18	404 18
5,	26	T. T. Stearns (A. Stearns' part),	Sept. 6, 1859	245 54	245 54
		<i>East Oswego.</i>			
Bl'ks 7, 8, 16,		Benjamin Allen,	Mar. 27, 1866	1,000 00	250 00
		<i>West Oswego.</i>			
		<i>(Old Fortification Block No. 2.)</i>			
44,		Eli T. Bangs,	Dec. 14, 1859	202 10	50 53
127,		do	Dec. 14, 1859	1,104 15	276 04

Old Military Tract—Township 1.

Thorne's Survey.

12,	74	Rowland Nichols (E. Thayer's part),	Sept.	6, 1859	47 19	47 19
[CON. No. 115.] 27,	160	James E. Thompson,	July	31, 1862	107 20	27 00
52,	112	O. Abell, Jr.,	Oct.	21, 1864	78 46	20 00
61,	92	Richard Remington,	Aug.	19, 1864	64 40	16 10
63,	78	David Wilson,	Sept.	6, 1859	61 35	15 35
80,	184	R. Remington,	Aug.	19, 1864	128 80	32 20
82,	120	do	Aug.	19, 1864	84 00	21 00
83,	160	do	Aug.	19, 1864	112 00	28 00
87,	160	do	Aug.	19, 1864	112 00	28 00

Townships 1 & 2, Western Division.

Richards' Survey.

47 1,	164	A. W. Langdon,	Dec.	13, 1859	264 18	66 08
4,	176	do	Dec.	13, 1859	236 80	59 20
20,	168	James Wood,	Sept.	6, 1859	213 00	53 20
37, remaind'r,	289	Thomas Mooney,	Dec.	7, 1859	175 70	43 70
37,	188	Thomas Mooney (Reynolds' part),	Dec.	7, 1859	111 47	27 47
41,	182	T. D. Trumbull,	Sept.	6, 1859	146 90	36 90
61,	422	Willard Bell,	June	22, 1863	135 56	33 85

Township 3.

51,	853	James & John Rogers,	Sept.	6, 1859	489 84	122 84
58,	853	T. A. Tomlinson,	Sept.	6, 1859	236 08	59 08
61,	853	Monroe Hall,	Sept.	6, 1859	389 45	100 00

Township 5, Norton's Tract.

13,	213	Monroe Hall,	Sept.	6, 1859	61 84	15 84
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Lot.	Acres.	Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
<i>Township 9.</i>				
216,	90	Nov. 13, 1866	\$126 36	\$126 36
289,	160	Nov. 13, 1866	118 43	118 43
293,	140	Sept. 6, 1859	42 20	10 20
294,	160	Mar. 9, 1860	32 00	16 00
317,	160	Mar. 9, 1860	32 00	16 00
318,	200	Dec. 31, 1859	Cr. in L. O.	
319,	180	Dec. 31, 1859	do	
320,	160	Sept. 6, 1859	108 82	27 82
330,	180	Mar. 9, 1860	36 00	18 00
332,	160	Mar. 9, 1860	32 00	16 00
333,	160	Mar. 9, 1860	32 00	16 00
353,	180	Sept. 6, 1859	52 32	13 32
<i>Old Military Tract, Township 10.</i>				
220,	200	Sept. 6, 1859	87 36	21 36
<i>Township 11.</i>				
17,	200	Sept. 6, 1859	125 93	31 93
292,	107	Sept. 6, 1859	34 56	8 56
<i>Township 12—Richards' Survey.</i>				
1, sub. 2, ..	160	Dec. 7, 1859	74 57	19 00

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8, sub. 1,...	168	do	Dec.	7, 1859	94 55	23 50
8, " 3,...	150	do	Dec.	7, 1859	76 41	19 50
15, " 1,...	160	Monroe Hall,	Sept.	6, 1859	47 67	11 67
15, " 2,...	160	do	Sept.	6, 1859	62 56	15 56
15, " 4,...	188	do	Sept.	6, 1859	109 22	27 22
16, " 4,...	148	do	Sept.	6, 1859	42 95	10 95
Oxbow Tract.						
Lots 2, 14, 24, 25 and 26,...	1,501	George Bradley,	Mar.	13, 1861	193 16	48 16
Lots 28, 35, 37, 45 & 83,	1,280	do	April	2, 1861	227 57	56 57
118,	160	Otis Allen,	Sept.	6, 1859	30 07	7 51
132,	155	Joseph Fellows,	Sept.	6, 1859	40 92	10 23
134,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	66 60	16 65
135,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	66 60	16 65
145,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	32 31	8 07
152,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	38 35	9 58
156,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	106 92	26 73
159,	125	do	Sept.	6, 1859	35 92	8 98
160,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	29 00	7 25
164,	187	do	Sept.	6, 1859	32 87	8 21
170,	97	Otis Allen,	Sept.	6, 1859	25 50	6 37
178,	114	do	Sept.	6, 1859	49 50	12 37
179,	148	do	Sept.	6, 1859	28 51	7 12
182,	155	George Bradley,	April	2, 1861	31 02	31 02
184,	155	Joseph Fellows,	Sept.	6, 1859	115 69	28 92
186,	155	Otis Allen,	Sept.	6, 1859	28 04	7 04
187,	155	do	Sept.	6, 1859	26 97	6 99

RE-SALES OF 1859 — Orbow Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
188,	155	Joseph Fellows,	Sept. 6, 1859	\$26 97	\$6 74
189,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	26 97	6 74
190,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	25 89	6 47
192,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	34 09	8 52
193,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	27 99	6 99
196,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	38 29	9 57
201,	155	Otis Allen,	Sept. 6, 1859	31 97	7 99
202,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	27 89	6 97
203,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	28 09	7 02
209,	155	Joseph Fellows,	Seps. 6, 1859	32 93	8 23
213,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	90 50	22 62
214,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	69 12	17 28
215,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	40 99	10 24
222,	740	do	Sept. 6, 1859	123 21	30 80
224,	193	do	Sept. 6, 1859	31 48	7 87
229,	600	Otis Allen,	Sept. 6, 1859	99 10	24 77
230,	600	do	Sept. 6, 1859	89 60	22 40
233,	320	do	Sept. 6, 1859	57 16	14 29
235,	155	do	Sept. 6, 1859	27 29	6 82
241,	148	do	Sept. 6, 1859	24 90	6 22
279,	362	Joseph Fellows,	Sept. 6, 1859	59 05	14 76
296,	201	do	Sept. 6, 1859	32 68	8 17
300,	239	Otis Allen,	Sept. 6, 1859	29 32	7 38

301,.....	239	do	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	37 22	9 30
302,.....	239	do	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	42 22	10 55
303,.....	239	do	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	41 30	10 32
<i>Palmer's Purchase, Rear Division, Great Lot 1.</i> <i>(State Lot.)</i>							
14,.....	160	John H. McMillan,	.....	Dec.	16, 1859	172 80	43 20
21,.....	80	James Dayton,	.....	Nov.	18, 1859	34 98	34 98
<i>Refugee Tract, 420 Acre Lots, formerly mort-</i> <i>gaged by Cyrus Cady.</i>							
52, sub. 19, ..	2	{	Richard L. Ross,	Dec.	31, 1859	Cr. in	L. O.
11, " 38, ..	11						
<i>Roaring Brook Tract</i>							
1,.....	117	David Wilson,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	98 69	29 69
2,.....	243	Henry H. Ross,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	147 86	36 96
4,.....	256	David Wilson,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	128 00	32 00
11,.....	240	H. H. Ross,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	189 28	47 32
12,.....	240	do	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	196 82	49 20
14, 15,.....	480	H. A. Putnam,	.....	Nov.	23, 1864	336 00	84 00
17,.....	240	David Wilson,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	68 38	17 38
20,.....	310	H. H. Ross,	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	195 92	48 98
23,.....	348	do	.....	Sept.	6, 1859	268 72	67 18
37,.....	284	Putnam, Williams & Abell,	.....	Dec.	10, 1864	198 80	49 70
53,.....	260	do	.....	Dec.	10, 1864	182 00	45 50
68,.....	424	Abell & Gliddon,	.....	Nov.	24, 1865	296 80	74 20

RE-SALES OF 1859 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
6,	190	<i>Schroon Tract.</i> John A. Russell, do do Joseph Russell,	Sept. 6, 1859	\$36 15	\$9 15
7,	190		Sept. 6, 1859	36 52	9 52
8,	190		Sept. 6, 1859	38 13	10 13
31,	160		Dec. 9, 1859	191 70	191 70
109,	103	<i>South Bay Tract.</i> Wm. Stevens, John Main, H. Gibson,	Dec. 9, 1859	70 55	17 55
122,	160		April 7, 1862	116 40	29 40
148,	140		Sept. 6, 1859	65 85	16 46
45,		<i>St. Regis Reservation — House Lots.</i> A. W. Langdon, do	Jan. 3, 1860	131 16	33 16
97,			Jan. 3, 1860	213 99	53 99
12,000		<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase — Township No. 22, North half.</i> (Premises formerly mortgaged by Thos. Gill.) Sacketts Harbor Railroad Co.,	Oct. 10, 1855		
		<i>Township 24.</i> Chairman,	Sept. 6, 1859	570 82	142 82
			Sept. 6, 1859	91 70	22 92

Township 27, East Part—Thorne's Survey.					
24, 43,.....	320	Augustus Sherman,.....	Sept.	6, 1859	121 54
45, 47,.....	320	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	153 70
54,.....	160	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	64 99
55,.....	160	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	77 12
56,.....	160	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	77 12
57,.....	160	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	99 11
64,.....	160	do.....	Sept.	6, 1859	56 46
Tongue Mountain Tract.					
4,.....	110	Pratt & Wells,.....	Mar.	17, 1860	145 98
12,.....	369	Arnold Hulett,.....	Mar.	21, 1864	245 42
29,.....	200	B. Johnson,.....	Nov.	13, 1860	133 20
31, 33,.....	585	A. Hulett,.....	Mar.	21, 1864	301 08
42,.....	129	E. Bevins,.....	June	19, 1860	84 01
45,.....	169	A. Hulett,.....	July	6, 1864	118 30
46,.....	155	E. Fish,.....	Jan.	2, 1862	111 77
White Face Mountain Tract.					
1,.....	1,498	Peter Comstock,.....	Nov.	20, 1861	149 80
5,.....	2,131	do.....	Nov.	20, 1861	319 65
Westfield Tract.					
46,.....	160	Wm. Stevens, 2d,.....	Oct.	17, 1865	112 00
49,.....	160	R. L. Ross,.....	July	9, 1861	269 40
50,.....	160	Wm. Stevens, 2d,.....	April	21, 1864	112 00
Warrensburgh Tract.					
2,.....	180	A. Hawley,.....	May	6, 1862	177 44
					44 44

RE-SALES OF 1859 — Warrensburgh Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
3,.....	201	H. Pulver,.....	April 30, 1864	\$159 70	\$40 00
7,.....	214	B. Butler,	Jan. 5, 1860	143 10	35 10
8,.....	208	do	Jan. 5, 1860	120 40	30 40
9,.....	254	do	Jan. 5, 1860	183 50	45 50
10,.....	214	David Ferguson,	Jan. 5, 1860	182 60	45 60
18,.....	160	Clark Hall,	Dec. 7, 1859	96 60	24 60
Tract West of Road Patents.					
32,.....	220	F. N. Benedict,	Sept. 6, 1859	89 36	22 36
42,.....	92	Wm. Hotchkiss,	Sept. 6, 1859	61 61	15 41
59,.....	160	Monroe Hall,	Sept. 11, 1866	112 00	112 00
68,.....	160	V. P. Douw,	Dec. 9, 1859	77 90	77 90
89,.....	160	do	Dec. 9, 1859	86 74	86 74
148,.....	155	do	Dec. 9, 1859	88 57	88 57
150,.....	159	Wm. W. Rockwell,	Dec. 16, 1859	102 42	26 42
156,.....	144	D. & J. W. Finch,	Jan. 9, 1860	134 28	33 57
162,.....	146	J. Finch,	Jan. 9, 1860	146 81	36 70

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
<i>Arsenal Lots in Albany.</i>					
33, .....	.....	Ebenezer Speers,	Jan. 9, 1861	\$271 60	\$67 60
34, .....	.....	do	Jan. 9, 1861	271 60	67 60
<i>Black Rock.</i>					
Block 205, ..	.....	C. T. Huntington,	May 3, 1861	630 02	158 02
do 206, ..	.....	do	May 3, 1861	474 38	119 38
<i>Brant Lake Tract.</i>					
51,	160	Thomas S. Gray,	Jan. 9, 1861	55 29	13 83
81,	160	do	Jan. 9, 1861	131 49	32 88
87,	160	Wm. Hotchkiss,	Jan. 9, 1861	95 81	23 96
107,	160	Thomas S. Gray,	Jan. 9, 1861	49 57	12 39
131,	96	Hiram Buck,	Jan. 9, 1861	33 21	33 21
<i>Delaware Tract in Windsor.</i>					
6,	109	Ammi Doubleday,	Jan. 9, 1861	223 56	56 56
19,	51	C. T. Huntington,	Jan. 9, 1861	3 26	3 26
<i>Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey.</i>					
167, 169,	320	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	224 00	56 00
172, 173, 174, ..	500	do	Aug. 19, 1864	350 00	87 50
177, 184, 187, ..	521	do	Aug. 19, 1864	364 70	91 17

RE-SALES OF 1861 — *Essex Tract, or Henry's Survey — (Continued).*

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
182,	160	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	\$112 00	\$28 00
176, 180,	320	do	Aug. 19, 1864	224 00	56 00
214, 215,	336	Horace Braman,	May 15, 1861	147 48	37 00
<i>Iron Ore Tract.</i>					
44,	113	H. & L. W. McKenzie,	Jan. 9, 1861	67 73	16 73
111,	108	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	75 60	18 90
115,	160	Oliver Abell, Jr.,	April 15, 1864	112 00	112 00
211,	92	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	64 40	16 10
<i>Jay Tract.</i>					
21,	197	R. S. McMurdy,	Nov. 13, 1862	178 07	44 51
71,	40	Luke Smith,	Jan. 9, 1861	71 28	18 27
<i>Luzerne Tract.</i>					
14,	158	Daniel Ferguson,	June 14, 1861	97 20	28 20
84,	171	do	June 14, 1861	118 62	30 62
92,	163	do	April 10, 1861	75 67	18 67
139,	105	Benjamin Latham,	Jan. 7, 1863	166 72	42 00
<i>New Stockbridge, N. E. Part.</i>					
2, rem.,	5	H. H. Rodemore,	Jan. 9, 1861	347 12	87 12
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20,	49	<i>New Stockbridge—East Hill Tract.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	355 02	88 75
		Nelson Farrington,				
12, rem., ...	10	<i>New Stockbridge—Purchase of 1823.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	71 10	18 10
15,	50	Sarah Goodrich,	Jan.	9, 1861	358 80	89 80
16, rem., ...	.....	do	Jan.	9, 1861	722 50	181 50
		Charles G. Lynan,				
		<i>Nobleborough Patent—New Survey.</i>				
51, 56, 58, 59, 67, 97, except 40 acres S. E., and lot 101, except 50 ac. E. part.	960	Richard L. Ross,	April 10, 1861		104 04	26 04
		<i>North River Head Tract.</i>				
51,	160	Oliver Abell, Jr.,	Dec.	26, 1866	112 00	28 00
67,	160	Willis Gates,	Jan.	9, 1861	97 23	24 43
68,	160	do	Jan.	9, 1861	61 11	15 11
75,	160	do	Jan.	9, 1861	59 10	15 10
76,	160	do	Jan.	9, 1861	67 91	16 91
77,	160	Oliver Abell, Jr.,	May	5, 1864	112 00	112 00
78,	150	do	July	8, 1864	105 00	26 25
134,	180	Abell & Williams,	April	4, 1864	70 11	18 00
139,	183	David Wilson,	Jan.	9, 1861	150 52	37 52
		<i>Northwest Bay Tract.</i>				
5, E.,	76	Thomas S. Gray,	Jan.	9, 1861	64 17	16 17

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Old Mil. Tract, Township 1, Thorne's Survey.</i>			
14,	200	Henry H. Ross,	Jan. 9, 1861	\$167 72	\$41 72
21,	130	James E. Thompson,	Jan. 9, 1861	116 40	29 40
47, 48,	266	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	186 20	46 55
49,	156	do	Aug. 19, 1864	109 20	27 30
59,	111	do	Aug. 19, 1864	77 70	19 42
73,	200	J. M. Thompson,	Jan. 9, 1861	100 04	25 04
74,	160	M. Miller,	April 23, 1864	148 35	37 10
76,	160	R. S. Hale,	Jan. 9, 1861	125 42	31 42
77,	120	R. Remington,	Aug. 19, 1864	81 00	21 00
D 4,	160	do	Aug. 19, 1864	112 00	28 00
L 11,	160	do	Aug. 19, 1864	112 00	28 00
		<i>Townships 1 & 2 — Richards' Survey.</i>			
19, remaind'r,	119	L. G. Dudley,	Mar. 23, 1861	163 70	40 92
39,	295	E. J. Brown,	April 19, 1861	216 36	54 36
45,	256	R. L. Ross,	May 11, 1861	117 87	29 87
		<i>Township 11.</i>			
66,	160	Kellogg & Hale,	Jan. 9, 1861	219 87	54 87
		<i>Township 12 — Richards' Survey.</i>			
2, sub. 2, ...	156	T. S. Nash,	July 12, 1862	45 25	11 25

1, Block 12,	.....	<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	242 72	60 72
		Rufus Peckham,.....				
21,	88	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1824.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	1,241 61	313 61
29,	36	F. W. Forbes,	Jan.	9, 1861	509 54	128 54
		Matthew Golden,.....				
4, remaind'r,	48	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1826.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	314 51	79 51
12,	28	J. N. Avery,.....	Jan.	9, 1861	256 08	39 08
17, remaind'r,	17½	Lyman Goff (Heyard's part),.....	Jan.	9, 1861	163 58	41 58
		James Ingers, Jr.,				
2,	107	<i>First Oneida Purchase of 1829.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	422 13	105 13
		B. H. Dyer,				
28, remaind'r,	13	<i>Second Oneida Purchase of 1829.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	579 79	144 79
		H. T. Jenkins,				
4,	43	<i>Oneida Purchase of 1842.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	735 36	184 36
		<i>First and Second Christian Parties.</i>				
		J. C. Sherwood,	Jan.	9, 1861		
3, .....	.....	<i>Oswego Falls Village.</i>	Jan.	9, 1861	208 59	52 59
26, .....	.....	C. H. Sage,	Jan.	9, 1861	270 22	67 56
		do				
5, .....	.....	<i>West Oswego.</i>	May	13, 1861	452 40	113 10
9, remaind'r,	.....	<i>Old Fortification Block No. 1.</i>	April	5, 1861	223 80	56 80
		R. L. Ross (unbonded),.....				
		A. F. Allen,				

RE-SALES OF 1861 — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
		<i>Old Fortification Block No. 2.</i>			
6, . . . . .	. . . . .	C. H. Sage,	April 10, 1861	\$1,098 87	\$275 00
10, . . . . .	. . . . .	Monroe & Baker,	Jan. 9, 1861	1,419 96	355 96
		<i>Onondaga Salt Sp'gs Reservation — Farm Lots.</i>			
301, sub. 1, . . .	. . . . .	James L. Bagg,	Jan. 9, 1861	380 33	95 33
301, do 2, . . .	. . . . .	do	Jan. 9, 1861	205 31	52 31
301, do 3, . . .	. . . . .	do	Jan. 9, 1861	195 85	49 85
342,	7	Wm. H. Alexander,	April 8, 1861	377 82	377 82
		<i>Liverpool.</i>			
12, Block 15, . . .	. . . . .	Thomas Gale,	Jan. 9, 1861	24 98	24 98
8, do 49, . . . .	. . . . .	do	Jan. 9, 1861	40 00	40 00
		<i>Salina.</i>			
do 31, . . . . .	. . . . .	Warren Gannett,	Jan. 9, 1861	369 80	369 80
		<i>Syracuse.</i>			
20, do D., . . . .	. . . . .	H. G. Matteson,	April 8, 1861	226 01	56 51
		<i>Reclaimed by Mill Pond Improvement.</i>			
11, do 18, . . . .	. . . . .	Thomas Gale,	Oct. 9, 1861	288 76	72 19
25, . . . . .	. . . . .	do	Sept. 25, 1861	262 69	65 68
30, . . . . .	. . . . .	Hiram Putnam,	May 4, 1861	335 09	88 75

<i>Syracuse.</i>					
<i>Lands lying South of Erie Canal and East of West street.</i>					
1, 161 b. D,	.....	Thos. Gale,	Sept. 25, 1861	371 41	92 86
11, do	.....	do	Sept. 25, 1861	339 87	84 97
12, do	.....	do	Sept. 25, 1861	272 30	68 08
<i>Lands lying North of Church street and West of Salina street.</i>					
2, bl'k 2,	.....	Christian House,	Jan. 9, 1861	477 22	119 32
4, do 17,	.....	John Guilfoyle,	Jan. 9, 1861	528 74	132 18
13, do 77,	.....	Sarah H. Coates,	Mar. 12, 1864	299 93	299 93
14 B. b. 77,	.....	Richard Raynor,	Aug. 29, 1861	362 40	90 40
9, P. B.,	.....	Lucy A. Williams,	May 4, 1866	1,300 00	325 00
<i>Lands bounded East by West street, West by Wyoming street.</i>					
3, bl'k 184,	.....	Allen Munroe,	Oct. 13, 1863	450 00	112 50
4, do 184,	.....	do	Oct. 13, 1863	400 00	100 00
7, do 241,	.....	C. C. Bradley,	Jan. 31, 1863	702 61	175 61
10, do 241,	.....	Peter Leinhardt,	May 28, 1863	550 00	137 50
5, do 242,	.....	Wm. A. Sweet,	Jan. 20, 1863	282 51	145 63
7, do 242,	.....	L. C. Taber,	May 28, 1863	630 00	157 50
9, do 242,	.....	do	May 28, 1863	605 00	151 25
14, do 242,	.....	Wm. A. Sweet,	Jan. 20, 1863	448 42	112 10
1, do 243,	.....	D. Driscoll,	May 28, 1863	425 00	125 00
5, do 243,	C. C. Bradley,	May 28, 1863	475 00	118 75
16, do 243,	S. J. Green,	May 28, 1863	505 00	126 25

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
16, bl'k 64,	<i>Syracuse — In Third Ward.</i>	Sept. 10, 1861	\$1,380 00	\$345 00
21, do 64, .	.....		May 20, 1862	1,560 00	390 00
22, do 64, .	.....		Sept. 10, 1861	1,655 00	413 75
		<i>Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation. Reclaimed Lots.</i>			
15, 31, 32, 34, } 36, 37, 38.	63	Thomas Gale,.....	Jan. 9, 1861	135 27	34 27
		<i>Syracuse.</i>			
		<i>Lands lying North of Genesee street and West of Plum street.</i>			
18, bl'k 423, .	.....	H. D. Hatch,	Jan. 29, 1864	1,320 27	330 27
19, do 423, .	.....	do	May 3, 1864	1,148 00	287 00
20, do 423, .	.....	C. P. Phillips,	May 3, 1864	1,500 00	1,500 00
21, do 423, .	.....	Richard Raynor,	May 3, 1864	1,600 00	400 00
22, do 423, .	.....	L. W. Marsh,	Dec. 1, 1864	1,800 00	450 00
		<i>Oxbow Tract.</i>			
69, 71, 72, & E. part of 60, }	582	Otis Allen,	Jan. 9, 1861	205 00	51 25
65,	154	Wm. Stevens, 2d,	Jan. 9, 1861	63 47	16 47

79, 87, 93, 94, 84, except 85 a. undivid'd; 175 acres lot 103, and 130 acres S. E.; 30 ac. S. W., and 30 acres N. W. of lot 146, and lots 173 and 234, amounti'g in all to	619	Morgan & Lapham,.....	Jan.	9, 1861	161 00	40 25	No. 115.]
102, 14, 142, except 5 ac. S. E.,..... 114, 115, 125, 150, except 21 ac. N. W. 133, except 95 acres S. side, 136,	937	James Morgan,.....	Jan.	9, 1861	300 00	300 00	
165, except 15 acres S. W., 168, 169, 175, 176,..... 242, 244, 245, 248, 252, 253, 254, 255,.....	610	Otis Allen,	Jan.	9, 1861	215 00	53 75	385
	599	Joseph Fellows,	Jan.	9, 1861	150 98	37 98	
	60	Morgan & Lapham,.....	Jan.	9, 1861	50 00	50 00	
	155	Joseph Fellows,	Jan.	9, 1861	71 90	.17 90	
	140	Morgan & Lapham,.....	Jan.	9, 1861	110 00	27 50	
	620	do do	Jan.	9, 1861	270 00	67 50	
	1,233	Otis Allen,	Jan.	9, 1861	421 00	105 25	

RE-SALES OF 1861 — Oxbow Tract — (Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
256, 257, 258, 259, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 272, 273, 283,	1,425 1,726	Morgan & Lapham,..... Otis Allen,	Jan. 9, 1861 Jan. 9, 1861	\$330 00 421 00	\$82 50 105 25
		<i>Palmer's Purchase — Great Lot No. 1.</i>			
26, 49, 58,	160 109 160	O. Dean,..... Isaac Smith, do	May 2, 1866 April 9, 1861 April 9, 1861	112 00 72 19 71 77	112 00 18 19 17 77
102,	165	Abijah Smith,..... <i>Paradox Tract.</i>	April 8, 1861	159 92	49 92
83, 109, 115,	263 201 250	<i>Peru Bay Tract.</i> Fairchild & Lyon, Elihu Higby, R. H. Fuller,	Jan. 9, 1861 Jan. 9, 1861 April 10, 1861	229 16 313 03 278 70	58 25 78 03 69 70
3,	62	<i>Sacandaga Patent.</i> <i>Premises formerly mortgaged by Samuel Clark.</i> R. L. Ross (unbonded),			113 00

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9,	256	<i>Roaring Brook Tract.</i>					179 20	44 80
19,	240	R. Remington,	Aug.	19, 1864	168 00	42 00		
34,	112	do	Aug.	19, 1864	63 03	16 03		
36,	300	Luke Jones,	May	9, 1861	95 71	24 71		
45,	259	do	May	9, 1861	181 30	47 82		
52,	260	R. Remington,	Aug.	19, 1864	182 00	45 50		
78,	278	Putnam, Williams & Abell,	Dec.	10, 1864	.....	17 59	
86,	200	C. T. Huntington (unbonded),	May	8, 1861	.....	26 60	
		do	May	8, 1861	.....		
<i>Scriba's Patent.</i>								
<i>Township 23, Great Lot No. 27.</i>								
Premises formerly mortgaged by J. C. Bloomfield.								
2,	160	Clinton H. Sage,	Jan.	9, 1861	476 52	119 52		
<i>Skeenesborough (West Bounds).</i>								
12,	75	George L. Stevens,	April	11, 1866	52 50	52 50		
13,	110	Isaac V. Baker,	Mar.	3, 1863	34 43	34 43		
14,	153	do	Mar.	3, 1863	65 62	65 62		
15,	158	do	Mar.	3, 1863	69 36	69 36		
16,	158	do	Mar.	3, 1863	55 63	55 63		
<i>Totten & Crossfield's Purchase.</i>								
<i>Township No. 1. S. E. $\frac{1}{4}$ in Third Allotment.</i>								
7, 9, in to'ship 1; 24, 26, and rem. of 32 and 40 in to'ship 2, cont'ing in all,	950	Morgan & Lapham,	Jan.	9, 1861	223 70	223 70		

RE-SALES OF 1861—(Continued).

Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
60, 62, 63, 67, 72, except 70 acres N. W., 76, 80, 87, 88. 82, except 34 ac. N. W., and No. 83, except 34 ac. N. W.,	1,275	Township No. 2. Wm. C. Potter,	Nov. 28, 1863	\$193 47	\$193 47
4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 24, 27, 29, 30, 31, 33, 37, 38, 44, 46, 47, 54, 55, 62, 63, containing, ...	1,546	Township No. 6. Wm. C. Potter,	Nov. 28, 1863	220 60	220 60
Leonard Jones,.....	10,023	Township No. 7. Two pieces of land which were bid in by the Comptroller at the tax sale of 1843. Hiram Kenyon & Son,	Jan. 24, 1862	1,986 13	496 53
18,499			Jan. 9, 1861	4,062 50	1,015 62

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4, 5, except subs. 1, 2, 3, .	1,742	<i>Totten and Crossfield's Purchase.</i> <i>Townships 10 and 29 — First Allotment.</i>	Jan. 9, 1861	402 00	402 00
1,	113	<i>Township 25, North Part — Thorne's Survey.</i> John Dougherty,	Feb. 27, 1862	40 13	11 00
71 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 112, 113,	4,486	<i>Township No. 27.</i> L. A. Battershall,	Jan. 20, 1864	1,060 87	265 87
53,	160	<i>Westfield Tract.</i> Wm. Stevens, 2d,	April 15, 1861	139 60	34 60
56,	160	do	April 10, 1861	176 42	44 42
6,	98	<i>Windsor, First Tract.</i> R. L. Rosa,	Jan. 9, 1861	211 36	52 82
7,	98	do	Jan. 9, 1861	127 73	81 94
12,	130	<i>Windsor, Second Tract.</i> Tallmadge Ewers,	Dec. 14, 1861	176 90	44 90
15, 16,	200	Amni Doubleday, Jr.,	Jan. 9, 1861	278 74	69 74

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Lot.	Acres.		Date of sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
18,	100	Ammi Doubleday, Jr.,	Jan. 9, 1861	\$109 18	\$28 18
25,	74	do	Jan. 9, 1861	149 60	37 60
3, 4, 5,	311	Windsor, Third Tract. A. Doubleday, Jr.,	May 3, 1861	591 12	148 12
38,	160	West of Road Patents. V. P. Douw,	June 3, 1861	49 57	49 57
39,	160	do	June 3, 1861	41 64	41 64
43,	160	Monroe Hall,	Sept. 11, 1866	112 00	112 00
44,	160	V. P. Douw,	Jan. 9, 1861	49 53	49 53
45,	160	do	Jan. 9, 1861	49 53	49 53
62,	160	do	Jan. 9, 1861	62 88	62 88
149,	157	Monroe Hall,	Sept. 11, 1866	109 90	109 90
152,	182	V. P. Douw,	Jan. 9, 1861	77 19	77 19
153,	161	do	Jan. 9, 1861	75 60	75 60
154,	157	Milton Sawyer,	Jan. 9, 1861	58 34	14 57
155,	175	do	Jan. 9, 1861	74 46	18 62
158,	157	do	Jan. 9, 1861	50 21	12 56
160,	83	do	Jan. 9, 1861	25 36	6 34
163,	167	V. P. Douw,	Jan. 9, 1861	54 51	54 51

164,	152	<i>Tract West of Road Patents.</i>				12 34
165,	157	Milton Sawyer,	April 30, 1861	49 34	153 96	43 88
166,	167	V. P. Douw,	Jan. 9, 1861	43 88	299 60	43 90
168,	79	do	Jan. 9, 1861	43 90		14 80
172,	156	Wm. Hotchkiss,	April 30, 1861	59 20		25 35
		John Dougherty,	May 20, 1861	101 10		
		<i>White Face Mountain Tract.</i>				
2,	1,283	Peter Comstock,	Nov. 20, 1861	153 96		
6,	1,498	do	Nov. 20, 1861	299 60		
		<i>Windham, or State Land Tract.</i>				
74,	124	Richard L. Ross,	Jan. 9, 1861	147 29		36 83
		RE-SALES OF SEPTEMBER 10, 1863.				391
		<i>Onondaga Purchase of 1817.</i>				
12, remaind'r,	39	Jeremiah Shares,	Sept. 10, 1863	463 44		250 00
14,	51	Oscar Miller (McLary's part),	Sept. 10, 1863	377 41		377 41
		<i>New Stockbridge (School Lot).</i>				
On J. Gregg, Jr's., lease, sub. 10,...	77	James C. Knox,	Aug. 22, 1866	946 64		236 98

RE-SALES OF 1865.

Lot.	Acres.		Date of Sale.	Consideration.	Amount paid.
<i>Oneida Castleton.</i>					
8, Block 15,	Harriet Jenkins,	Mar. 1, 1865	\$111 14	\$111 14
9,	do	Mar. 1, 1865	111 14	111 14
10,	do	Mar. 1, 1865	111 14	111 14
<i>Onondaga Salt Springs, Syracuse.</i>					
1, Block 2,	Wm. Haganan,	Mar. 1, 1865	462 89	115 89
8, do 8,	Dennis Driscoll,	Mar. 7, 1866	773 50	773 50
20, do 64,	Robert Gere,	June 6, 1865	2,503 48	700 00
<i>Reclaimed by Mill Pond Improvement.</i>					
21, do 118,	J. F. Wyman,	Mar. 1, 1865	513 45	128 45
<i>Geddesburgh—Basin Lots.</i>					
1,	M. P. Pharis,	Mar. 1, 1865	116 18	29 18
2,	do	Mar. 1, 1865	165 46	41 46

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Total receipts as per foregoing statement, \$2,063,250 91

The following deductions should be made from the above amount for bonds for lands transferred to the School Fund, from the funds named below, for an equal amount of money, viz :

General Fund,	\$1,088,691 48	
Literature Fund,	203,969 84	
U. S. Deposit Fund,	80,921 38	
Canal Fund,	117,560 66	
Bank Fund,	5,337 50	
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	\$1,496,480 86	
Redemptions refunded,	2,383 94	
Surplus moneys on re-sales of lands refunded,	4,059 50	
Refunded for over payments, erro- neous sales, failures of title, &c.,	4,706 35	
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		1,507,630 65
		<hr/>
		\$555,620 26
Amount of principal due on bonds for lands Sep- tember 30, 1866,		290,303 17
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		<u>\$845,923 43</u>

Receipts on account of Sales of School Fund Lands.

	Sales of lands.	Principal of bonds for lands.	Sales of escheated lands.	Principal of bonds for es- cheated lands.	Sales of lands for quit rents.	Redemption of lands.	Transferred from General Fund for loss on bonds canceled, &c.	Total.
1823, .	\$3,488 05	\$272 82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$3,760 87
1824, .	11,127 87	2,990 37	\$4,627 58	\$779 77	.....	.....	.....	19,525 59
1825, .	5,348 26	2,860 81	2,525 46	1,458 06	.....	.....	.....	12,192 59
1826, .	6,199 60	2,980 43	134 53	795 45	\$10,104 26	.....	.....	20,214 27
1827, .	31,722 62	3,729 15	1,876 95	1,791 00	17 34	.....	.....	39,137 06
1828, .	12,567 12	5,671 86	200 11	1,301 62	.....	.....	.....	19,740 71
1829, .	5,854 78	5,504 14	164 36	1,375 59	.....	.....	.....	12,898 87
1830, .	10,750 89	9,028 42	881 12	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,660 43
1831, .	7,009 04	22,676 04	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29,685 08
1832, .	6,857 55	15,581 63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,439 18
1833, .	9,712 16	60,370 29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70,072 45
1834, .	9,976 46	31,917 75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	41,894 21
1835, .	25,509 72	105,916 30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	131,426 02
1836, .	22,455 63	84,210 85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106,666 48
1837, .	4,699 07	46,773 13	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	51,472 20
1838, .	2,107 17	29,380 17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,487 34
1839, .	4,697 86	49,627 54	.....	.....	.....	\$508 19	.....	54,831 59
1840, .	2,896 99	17,686 87	.....	.....	.....	556 12	.....	21,139 98
1841, .	2,161 21	31,525 65	.....	.....	.....	23 15	.....	33,710 01
1842, .	9,721 09	18,119 43	.....	.....	.....	1,000 24	\$88 00	28,928 76
1843, .	9,775 99	25,708 19	.....	.....	.....	155 97	.....	35,640 15

1844, .	9,576 22	65,845 06	.....	.....	.....	486 88	.....	75,908 16
1845, .	14,701 37	54,774 78	.....	.....	.....	3,149 68	9,627 26	82,253 09
1846, .	10,099 59	61,577 57	.....	.....	.....	246 48	1,108 48	73,032 12
1847, .	3,678 38	75,684 46	.....	.....	.....	1,389 35	12,145 29	92,897 48
1848, .	19,493 39	99,398 19	.....	.....	.....	849 19	58 07	119,798 84
1849, .	9,357 79	62,292 61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	71,650 40
1850, .	5,322 19	43,455 56	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,777 75
1851, .	16,343 10	76,513 51	.....	.....	.....	33 43	.....	92,890 04
1852, .	1,545 22	36,676 34	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,155 56	86,377 12
1853, .	2,562 88	47,918 10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,480 98
1854, .	6,427 04	41,362 38	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,789 42
1855, .	2,476 45	22,910 26	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,386 71
1856, .	9,385 78	29,585 18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	38,970 96
1857, .	5,637 28	20,092 28	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,729 56
1858, .	1,738 98	12,628 18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14,367 16
1859, .	15,941 36	28,106 29	.....	.....	.....	70 64	.....	44,118 29
1860, .	6,350 28	21,219 52	.....	.....	.....	1,320 72	.....	28,890 52
1861, .	13,787 19	14,093 29	.....	.....	.....	3,717 34	.....	31,597 82
1862, .	3,195 34	16,187 64	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,382 98
1863, .	5,684 30	45,192 55	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,000 00	54,876 85
1864, .	8,890 57	54,919 04	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,809 61
1865, .	3,150 21	27,258 89	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30,409 10
1866, .	3,167 45	33,164 66	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,332 11
	\$383,151 49	\$1,563,378 18	\$10,410 11	\$7,501 49	\$10,121 60	\$13,505 38	\$75,182 65	\$2,063,250 91

The only grant of lands under water, made by the Commissioners of the Land Office, for which a remuneration was received, is the one to the West Washington Market, consisting of the Lowber property, the Hubert street pier and the pier at the foot of Watts street. The amount received for said grant was \$300,000, which was placed to the credit of the General Fund.

All other grants of land under water are for the purposes of commerce, or the beneficial enjoyment by the adjacent owner, and are granted to the riparian owner or owners, and no fees come to the State except fees for the patents.

The *following lots or parcels of land* appearing by the record in the proper department, as having been *acquired by escheat*, have been released by act of the Legislature, viz.:

“All the right, title and interest of the people of this State, in and to the lands of which Paul McCloskey died seized, acquired by escheat upon the death of Bridget McCloskey, his wife, or of the child of the said Paul McCloskey, being premises known as No. 149 Grand street, in the city of Albany, released to the brothers and sisters of the said Paul McCloskey.

“And the title of the people, acquired as aforesaid, in and to the premises known as Nos. 141 and 147 Grand street, in the city of Albany, released to Mary Gannon, mother of said Bridget McCloskey, deceased.”

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 116.

IN CONVENTION

September 10, 1867.

REPORT.

OF THE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE FUNDS PERTAINING THERETO.

The standing committee upon Education and the funds pertaining thereto, respectfully report the following :

ARTICLE —.

1 SECTION 1. The capital of the common school fund ; the capi-
2 tal of the literature fund ; the capital of the United States deposit
3 fund ; the capital of the college land-scrip fund, and the capital
4 of the Cornell endowment fund as it shall be paid into the treas-
5 ury, shall be respectively preserved inviolate. The revenues of
6 said common school fund shall be applied to the support of com-
7 mon schools ; the revenues of said literature fund shall be applied
8 to the support of Academies, and the sum of twenty-five thousand

9 dollars of the revenue of the United States deposit fund shall
10 each year be appropriated to and made a part of the capital of the
11 said common school fund; the revenues of the college land-scrip
12 fund shall each year be appropriated and applied to the support of
13 the Cornell University, in the mode and for the the purposes
14 defined by the act of Congress donating public lands to the several
15 States and Territories, approved July 2d, 1862; and the revenues
16 of the Cornell endowment fund shall each year be paid to the
17 trustees of the Cornell University for its use and benefit.

1 SEC. 2. All the said educational funds, as they are paid into
2 the treasury, shall be invested by the Comptroller in the stocks
3 of the State of New York and of the United States, or loaned to
4 counties and towns for county and town purposes exclusively,
5 and the State shall guarantee said funds against loss.

1 SEC. 3. The Legislature may provide for the payment into
2 the Treasury of money or securities for the general or special
3 endowment of any literary or educational institution in this
4 State; for the investment of the same, and for the payment of
5 the interest upon said investment in accordance with the terms
6 of the endowment as approved by the Legislature.

1 SEC. 4. The Legislature at its first session after the adoption
2 of this Constitution shall elect, in joint ballot of the Senate and
3 Assembly, a Superintendent of Public Education, who shall hold

4 his office for four years and until his successor is appointed. He
5 shall have such powers, and perform such duties, and receive
6 such compensation as may be prescribed by law.

7 The Legislature at the same session shall create a State Board
8 of Education, to consist of seven members; of which board the
9 Superintendent of Public Education, the Secretary of State, and
10 the Comptroller, *ex-officio*, shall form a part; and the other four
11 members shall be elected or appointed as shall be provided by
12 law.

13 The State Board of Education shall have general super-
14 vision of all the institutions of learning in this State, and shall
15 perform such other duties as the Legislature may direct. The
16 term of office and the compensation of the members shall be
17 prescribed by law.

1 SEC. 5. Instruction in the common schools and union schools
2 of this State shall be free, under such regulations as the Legisla-
3 ture may provide.

The committee beg leave to state that the first section of this article repeats article IX of the present Constitution; and adds to the three funds there mentioned two new funds; one of which, called the college land-scrip fund, arises from the sale, under chapter 481 of the laws of 1866, of the land-scrip granted to the State by the act of Congress named in the article; and the other called the Cornell endowment fund, arises from the subsequent profit to be realized by the purchaser and paid into the treasury, according to the terms of the contract of September 18, 1866, between the Commissioners of the Land Office and Ezra Cornell.

The second section of the article provides for the better security of the school moneys, of which more than one hundred and sixty-seven thousand (\$167,000) dollars have been lost within the last thirty years, through a loose system of loans upon bond and mortgage.

The third section secures to those who may wish generally or specially to endow educational institutions, the guardianship and investment of their money by the State, and its disposition in accordance with the wishes of the donor, subject to legislative approval.

The fourth section places all the educational institutions of the State under the general supervision of a single board, of which the Superintendent of Public Education is a member. The committee are of opinion that so long as the State maintains common schools, subsidises academies and supervises colleges, it is obviously better that all these interests should be the charge of a single department. The committee, however propose no change in the State care, but only in the method of its exercise.

The fifth article gives to the freedom of the common schools the protection of the Constitution.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE WILLIAM CURTIS, *Chairman*.
ORNON ARCHER,
JOHN STANTON GOULD,
OLIVER B. BEALS.

Mr. Conger differs with the majority of the committee upon a portion of the first section of the article; and Mr. Clinton and Mr. Larremore object to the fourth section. Otherwise the report is unanimous.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 117.

IN CONVENTION

September 11, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MR. GOODRICH, FROM THE COMMITTEE ON THE
JUDICIARY.

The undersigned, unable to agree in all the conclusions of the majority of his associates, asks leave to present the following article, as a minority

REPORT.

In doing so, he trusts he may be allowed to state that he has been unable to agree to the tenure of office for the judges of the leading courts of the State, proposed by the majority of the committee, because, as he conceives, such a tenure would interpose, so far as relates to those judges, a practical denial of the benefits of the elective system which it in form adopts for their selection. The great advantage of that system must ever depend on short terms of office, thus affording the people, not only the right to choose in the first instance, but a ready and effectual means of relief in case their selection of an officer proves an unfortunate one. He concedes that the services which judges are chosen to perform, furnishes an argument for a more extended term for them than can be necessary for an execu-

tive or a legislative officer, but he can by no means admit that it should be so far extended, as to place them absolutely beyond all power of control or dismissal, except through the cumbersome and uncertain machinery of an impeachment. For all the purposes of relief against an unfortunate selection, or protection against the more ordinary forms of official misconduct on the part of officers in any of the departments of government, an election for life, or for the term recommended by the majority of the committee, would be little more than an election in name; its substance and utility would be wanting.

The undersigned dissents also from the further recommendation of the majority of the committee, that provisions be made for submitting the question to the people, in 1870, whether the judges of the courts referred to, shall not thereafter be selected by appointment by the Governor and Senate, and not by election by the people. Such provisions, certainly, cannot be adopted, except from the conviction that an elective judiciary, which has been in use for twenty years in the State, and which, from the example of its adoption here, has been adopted and is now in operation in full two-thirds of the other States, has proved a failure. For himself, he is not prepared to make the admission. On the contrary, he believes that the results which have, here and elsewhere, attended its adoption, have established fully its practicability and success. He is also convinced that the people of this State could be induced, under no circumstances, to surrender it.

But it has not been from a desire, merely, to thus state the grounds of his dissent from these conclusions of the majority of the committee, that the undersigned has been induced to prepare the article which he now has the honor to present. His principal aim has been to furnish, if possible, a plan of organization for the General Terms of the Supreme Court, under which the decisions of that court would command more largely the confidence of suitors, and thereby to diminish the great number of appeals which have heretofore overwhelmed with business, the Court of Appeals, and which, especially with the additional supply of cases hereafter to come from the new Court of Claims to be established, must continue to overwhelm it in the future. If, by this means, a remedy can possibly be reached, for that over-supply of business in that court (the great defect in the judiciary of the State), he believes it must prove far

more satisfactory than any which can be obtained through future temporary commissions.

In the plan of organization which he presents, he has therefore endeavored to remove the three principal objectionable features in the present organization of the Supreme Court, which have operated to bring into disparagement its decisions, and to send so many suitors to the court of last resort for relief.

1. By the greatest practical reduction of the number of its General Terms.

2. By providing judges (in sufficient number to command the fullest confidence) for holding the General Terms, none of whom shall have previously passed upon any of the cases they review.

3. By relieving the General Terms from their present character of mere local courts, and elevating them to State Courts, held by judges representing the entire State.

ARTICLE VI.

1 SECTION 1. The Assembly shall have the power of impeach-
2 ment, by the vote of a majority of all the members elected.
3 The court for the trial of impeachments shall be composed of the
4 President of the Senate, the Senators, or the major part of them,
5 and the judges of the Court of Appeals, or the major part of
6 them. On the trial of an impeachment of the Governor, the
7 Lieutenant-Governor shall not act as a member of the court.
8 No judicial officer shall exercise his office after he shall have
9 been impeached, until he shall have been acquitted. Before the
10 trial of an impeachment, the members of the court shall take an
11 oath or affirmation truly and impartially to try the impeachment
12 according to evidence, and no person shall be convicted without

18 the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present. Judg-
14 ment in cases of impeachment, shall not extend further than to
15 removal from office, or removal from office and disqualification
16 to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under the
17 laws of this State; but the party impeached shall be liable to
18 indictment and punishment according to law.

1 SEC. 2. There shall be a court of appellate jurisdiction, called
2 the Court of Appeals, composed of seven judges, who shall be
3 elected by the electors of the State, and hold their office for
4 fourteen years. The judges first elected shall be so classified
5 that one shall go out of office and his place be filled by a new
6 election at the end of every second year.

1 SEC. 3. Any five of the said judges shall form a quorum,
2 and the concurrence of four shall be necessary to a decision.
3 They shall, from time to time and as often as necessary, desig-
4 nate one of their number as Chief Justice. They shall also
5 have the appointment, with the power of removal of the reporter
6 of the court, and of such attendants, other than clerk, as may be
7 authorized by law.

1 SEC. 4. Upon the organization of the said court, the causes
2 then pending in the present Court of Appeals, shall become
3 vested in the Court of Appeals hereby created. Such of said
4 causes as are pending on the first day of January, one thousand

5 eight hundred and sixty-eight, shall be heard and determined by
6 a Commission to consist of five Commissioners of Appeals.
7 But the Court of Appeals hereby created, for cause shown, may
8 order any cause thus pending before the said Commissioners, to
9 be heard in the Court of Appeals hereby created. Such Com-
10 mission shall consist of the judges of the present Court of
11 Appeals elected thereto, and a fifth Commissioner, who shall be
12 appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent
13 of the Senate.

1 SEC. 5. If any vacancy shall occur in the office of said Com-
2 missioners, it shall be filled by appointment by the Governor,
3 by and with the advice and consent of the Senate; and if the
4 Senate be not in session by the Governor; but in such case the
5 term of office shall expire at the end of the session of the
6 Senate next after such appointment. The said Commissioners
7 shall appoint from their number a Chief Commissioner, and
8 may appoint and remove such attendants as may be provided
9 for by law; and may in like manner fill all vacancies in such
10 appointments. The reporter of the Court of Appeals shall be
11 the reporter of said Commissioners. And the decision of the
12 said Commissioner shall be certified to and be entered and
13 enforced as the judgments of Court of Appeals. The said
14 Commission shall continue for three years, unless the causes
15 committed to it are sooner determined. If at at the end of

16 three years from the term of entering upon its duties, all the
17 causes assigned to such commission shall not have been heard
18 and determined, those remaining undetermined shall be heard
19 and determined by the Court of Appeals hereby created.

1 SEC. 6. There shall be a Supreme Court, having general juris-
2 diction in law and equity, subject to such appellate jurisdiction
3 of the Court of Appeals as may be prescribed by law. The State
4 shall be divided into three judicial departments, to be composed
5 of the judicial districts now existing: the first and second dis-
6 tricts to compose the first department; the third, fourth and fifth
7 the second department; and the sixth, seventh and eighth the
8 third department. There shall be in each department twelve jus-
9 tices of the Supreme Court, or such other number as may here-
10 after be provided for by law, who shall be elected by the electors
11 therein, and an equal number of whom, in each department, as
12 near as may be, shall reside in each of the judicial districts
13 thereof. The justices first elected shall be so classified that two
14 in each department shall go out of office at the end of every sec-
15 ond year, and those thereafter elected shall hold their office for
16 twelve years.

1 SEC. 7. Alterations in the judicial districts or departments
2 which do not change the number of either, may be made by the
3 Legislature at the first session after the return of every enumera-
4 tion under this Constitution. In the alteration of districts,

5 county lines, and in the alteration of departments, district lines
6 shall not be broken. The Legislature may likewise provide for
7 an additional justice of the Supreme Court, or they may provide
8 for diminishing the number of the justices of that court, in any
9 of the departments; but no such diminution, and no alterations
10 made in districts or departments, shall have the effect to remove
11 a judge from office before the expiration of the term for which
12 he shall have been elected.

1 SEC. 8. The said justices in each department shall, from time
2 to time, and as often as necessary, designate one of their number
3 as presiding justice. The presiding justices shall not act as trial-
4 judges, nor hold special terms, nor grant orders reviewable in
5 the Supreme Court; but they shall severally preside at the
6 general terms in their respective departments. They shall like-
7 wise have the appointment, with the power of removal, of the
8 reporter of the Supreme Court.

1 SEC. 9. To each department, for the purpose of holding the
2 general terms of the Supreme Court therein, there shall be
3 assigned, from time to time, five of the said justices; one, who
4 shall be the presiding justice of the department, and two from
5 each of the other departments; any four of whom shall form a
6 quorum. The assignments shall be so made that, of the five
7 justices so assigned to each department, two of the four from the

8 other departments shall retire at the end of every second year,
9 and others be assigned to fill their places; and in making such
10 assignments regard shall be had to equalizing the time of service
11 in the general terms among the several justices (other than the
12 presiding justices), as far as may be found consistent with the due
13 and proper administration of justice in the Supreme Court.

1 SEC. 10. Any one of the said justices, not assigned to service
2 in the general terms, for the time being, may hold special terms
3 of the Supreme Court and Circuit Courts, and any one of them
4 may preside in the Courts of Oyer and Terminer in any county.

1 SEC. 11. General terms of the Supreme Court shall continue
2 to be held in each of the judicial districts, for the review of
3 judgments and decisions in the cases and proceedings tried or
4 arising within such district.

1 SEC. 12. The classification of the judges of the Court of
2 Appeals and justices of the Supreme Court first elected; the
3 assignment of the justices of the Supreme Court to service in
4 the general terms; the times and places for holding the terms
5 of the Court of Appeals, and the general terms and special
6 terms of the Supreme Court within the several districts, and
7 the Circuit Courts and Courts of Oyer and Terminer in the
8 several counties, and the appointment of the justices to hold
9 such special terms and Circuit Courts, and to preside in such

10 Courts of Oyer and Terminer, shall be provided for by
11 law.

1 SEC. 13. The testimony in equity cases shall be taken in
2 like manner as in cases at law. And the Legislature shall
3 have the same power to alter and regulate the jurisdiction
4 and proceedings in law and equity as they have heretofore
5 possessed.

1 SEC. 14. No judge of the Court of Appeals, or justice of
2 the Supreme Court shall sit in review of his own decision.

1 SEC. 15. The judges of the Court of Appeals, and the
2 justices of the Supreme Court, shall severally receive, at stated
3 times, for their services, a compensation to be established by
4 law, which shall not be increased or diminished during their
5 continuance in office. They shall not hold any office or public
6 trust. All votes for either of them, for any elective office,
7 except that of judge of the Court of Appeals, or justice of the
8 Supreme Court, given by the Legislature or the people, shall
9 be void. They shall not exercise any power of appointment
10 to public office, except as herein specially provided.

1 SEC. 16. The judges of the Court of Appeals shall be elected
2 by the electors of the State, and the justices of the Supreme
3 Court by the electors of the several judicial departments, at such
4 times as may be prescribed by law. All vacancies in the office

5 of either, before the expiration of their regular terms, may be
6 filled by appointment by the Governor until the next general
7 election, when every such vacancy shall be filled by election for
8 the residue of the unexpired term.

1 SEC. 17. Judges of the Court of Appeals and justices of the
2 Supreme Court may be removed by concurrent resolution of
3 both houses of the Legislature, if two-thirds of all the members
4 elected to the Assembly, and a majority of all the members
5 elected to the Senate, concur therein. All judicial officers, except
6 those mentioned in this section, and except justices of the peace,
7 and judges and justices of inferior courts not of record, may be
8 removed by the Senate by the recommendation of the Governor;
9 but no removal shall be made by virtue of this section unless
10 the cause thereof be entered on the journals, nor unless the
11 party complained of shall have been served with a copy of the
12 complaint against him, and shall have had an opportunity of
13 being heard in his defense. On the question of removal, the
14 ayes and noes shall be entered on the journals.

1 SEC. 18. There shall be in and for the city and county of
2 New York a Superior Court and a Court of Common Pleas,
3 with each five judges, who shall be elected by the electors of the
4 said city and county; and there shall be in and for the city of
5 Buffalo a Superior Court, with three judges, who shall be elected
6 by the electors of said city. The jurisdiction of the said courts,

7 the times for the election of the judges thereof, and their terms
8 of office, shall be prescribed by law. The said judges shall
9 severally receive at stated times, for their services, a compensa-
10 tion, which shall not be increased or diminished during their
11 continuance in office. Vacancies in the office of any of them
12 before the expiration of their regular terms, may be filled in the
13 same manner as vacancies in the office of justice of the Supreme
14 Court, as hereinbefore provided.

1 SEC. 19. There shall be elected in each of the counties in
2 this State, except the city and county of New York, one County
3 Judge, who shall hold his office for four years. He shall hold
4 the County Court, and perform the duties of the office of Sur-
5 rogate. The County Court shall have such original and appel-
6 late jurisdiction as the Legislature may prescribe. The County
7 Judge, with two Justices of the Peace to be designated according
8 to law, may hold Courts of Sessions, with such criminal jurisdic-
9 tion as the Legislature shall prescribe, and perform such other
10 duties as may be required by law. The County Judge shall
11 receive an annual salary, to be fixed by the Board of Super-
12 visors, which shall be neither increased or diminished during his
13 continuance in office. The justices of the peace, for services in
14 Courts of Sessions, shall be paid a per diem allowance out of the
15 county treasury. In counties having a population exceeding
16 forty thousand, the Legislature may provide for the election of

17 a separate officer to perform the duties of the office of Surrogate.
18 The Legislature may confer equity jurisdiction in special cases
19 upon the County Judge. Inferior local courts, of civil and
20 criminal jurisdiction may be established by the Legislature in
21 cities; and such courts, except for the cities of New York,
22 Brooklyn and Buffalo, shall have a uniform organization and
23 jurisdiction in such cities.

1 SEC. 20. The electors of the several towns shall at their
2 annual town meeting, and in such manner as the Legislature
3 may direct, elect justices of the peace, whose term of office shall
4 be four years. In case of an election to fill a vacancy, occurring
5 before the expiration of a full term, they shall hold for the resi-
6 due of the unexpired term. Their number and classification may
7 be regulated by law. Justices of the peace, and judges or jus-
8 tices of inferior courts, not of record, and their clerks, may be
9 removed after due notice, and an opportunity of being heard in
10 their defense, by such county, city, or State courts, as may be
11 prescribed by law, for causes to be assigned in the order of
12 removal.

1 SEC. 21. All judicial officers of cities and vilages, and all such
2 judicial officers as may be created therein by law, shall be elected
3 or appointed at such times, and in such manner, as the Legisla-
4 ture may direct, except as herein otherwise provided.

1 **SEC. 22.** Clerks of the several counties of this State shall be
2 clerks of the Supreme Court, with such powers and duties as
3 shall be prescribed by law. A clerk of the Court of Appeals, to
4 be, *ex officio*, clerk of the Supreme Court, and to keep his office
5 at the seat of government, shall be chosen by the electors of the
6 State. He shall hold his office for three years, and his compen-
7 sation shall be fixed by law and paid out of the public treasury.

1 **SEC. 23.** No judicial officer, except justices of the peace, shall
2 receive to his own use, any fees or perquisites of office; nor
3 shall any judicial officer in the State, except a county judge or
4 surrogate, or special county judge or surrogate, or justice of the
5 peace, or police justice, nor shall any judicial officer in the city
6 of New York, or in the city of Brooklyn, practice as an attorney
7 or counsellor at law in any court of record in this State, or act
8 as a referee.

1 **SEC. 24.** The Legislature may authorize the judgments, de-
2 crees and decisions of any local inferior court of record of origi-
3 nal civil jurisdiction, established in a city, to be removed for
4 review directly into the Court of Appeals.

1 **SEC. 25.** The Legislature shall provide for the speedy publi-
2 cation of all statute laws, and of the decisions of the Court of
3 Appeals and of the general term of the Supreme Court, and such
4 other judicial decisions as it shall deem expedient. All laws
5 and judicial decisions shall be free for publication by any person.

1 SEC. 26. The first election of the judges of the Court of
2 Appeals, of justices of the Supreme Court, of the Superior Court
3 and Court of Common Pleas of the city and county of New York,
4 and of the Superior Court for the city of Buffalo, hereby created,
5 shall take place at such time as the Legislature shall prescribe,
6 between the first Tuesday of April and the first Tuesday of June,
7 one thousand eight hundred and sixty-eight. The said courts
8 and the Commissioners of Appeals shall respectively enter upon
9 their duties on the first Monday of July next thereafter.

1 SEC. 27. County judges, surrogates, justices of the peace and
2 coroners, elected or in office when this Constitution shall take
3 effect, shall hold their respective offices until the expiration of
4 the terms for which they were respectively elected.

1 SEC. 28. All courts and tribunals now existing shall be con-
2 tinued until the suits and proceedings pending therein shall be
3 transferred and vested in the appropriate courts and tribunals
4 hereby created; and the Legislature at the first session after the
5 adoption of this Constitution, shall make all necessary provisions
6 relating thereto, and provide for organizing the courts hereby
7 created.

These results, his aim has been to accomplish, and still, as far as practicable, to retain the local conveniences of the present organization; and furthermore, still to require the several judges of the court to alternate, from service in the trial of causes, to service in *banc*. This latter point he thinks he has the universal concurrence of the bench in deeming essential.

As his plan will be found to differ in some other particulars from that submitted by the majority (although many of the sections are but copies, either from theirs or from provisions of the existing Constitution), he presents an entire article, in order that the relation of its parts may the more readily be seen.

The undersigned may not too confidently believe that he has succeeded in what he has undertaken; but his plan, such as it is, he submits to the consideration of the Convention.

M. GOODRICH,
Minority Judiciary Committee.



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STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 118.

IN CONVENTION

September 12, 1867.

MINORITY REPORT

OF MR. A. F. ALLEN FROM THE COMMITTEE ON
FINANCE.

To the Convention :

The undersigned from the Committee on Finance, reports the following sections as a minority report, and asks that it be referred to the Committee of the Whole, and be considered with the report of that Committee, and that the same be printed.

A. F. ALLEN.

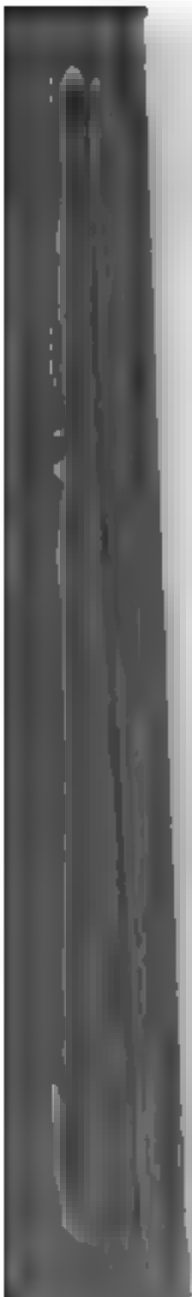
ALBANY, *Sept.* 12th, 1867.

1 SECTION . The Legislature shall provide by law at the first
2 session thereof after the adoption of this Constitution for a uni-
3 form rate of assessment and taxation upon all the real and per-
4 sonal property within the State, whether owned by citizens or non-
5 residents, including all associations and corporations, domestic
6 or foreign, bankers, bank shares, brokers, merchants or other-
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7 wise doing business in this State, and having a place of business
8 therein, and having capital invested therein for the purpose of
9 carrying on such corporate business, trade or manufactures, and
10 such assessment shall be made upon the sworn return of the
11 owner, manager, agent or person having such property in charge,
12 and upon its actual cash value, and in such manner as shall
13 insure equality in the distribution of the public burthens upon
14 all property within this State, owned, used or invested therein
15 for the carrying on of any trade, business or manufactures.

1 SEC. . No deductions shall be made from the assessed
2 valuation of the property of any person, corporation or asso-
3 ciation, or from the assessed value of any property, real or
4 personal, by reason of any indebtedness due or to become due
5 from the owner, person, corporation or association having such
6 property in charge or owning and controlling the property so
7 assessed.

1 SEC. . The Legislature shall not hereafter exempt any pro-
2 perty or class of property from taxation, except such as is now
3 exempt by law.



STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 119.

IN CONVENTION

September 12, 1867.

AMENDMENT

PROPOSED BY MR. E. BROOKS AND ACCEPTED BY MR. LAPHAM AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR HIS AMENDMENT TO THE FIRST SECTION OF THE REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Canal Stock debt contracted prior to June 1, 1846, amounting on the first day of July, 1846, to.....	\$3,258,060 00
The General Fund debt, amounting at the time last aforesaid to.....	5,642,622 22
The Canal Enlargement debt, amounting at the same time to.....	10,807,000 00
And the Floating Debt Loan, contracted under the provisions of chapter 271 of the laws of 1859, amounting at the same time to wit: on the first day of May, 1867, to	1,700 00
Shall hereafter be known as the "Canal Debt," for which the canal revenues are pledged: and the several sinking funds applicable to the payment of the said debts, amounting on the said first day of May, to.....	2,010,721 35
Together with the contributions to be made thereto, and the income thereof shall be known as the "Canal Debt Sinking Fund."	





STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 120.

IN CONVENTION

September 12, 1867.

REPORT

OF THE COMPTROLLER AND AUDITOR IN ANSWER
TO RESOLUTION IN REGARD TO CANAL MONEYS
ADVANCED.

STATE OF NEW YORK : }
ALBANY, *September 6th*, 1867. }

To Hon. WM. A. WHEELER, President Constitutional Convention :

SIR : In answer to a resolution of the Convention, adopted on the 11th of July, to wit :

Resolved, That the Comptroller and the Auditor of the Canal Department be requested to report to this Convention a statement of all sums advanced or paid for canal purposes, or on canal debts, from other sources than canal revenues, and all sums advanced or paid from the canal revenues for other than canal purposes, or on canal debts (specifying such purposes), in each year from 1817 to the present time ; and also the interest upon each item, from the time it was paid or advanced to the present time, stating the items of interest separately from the items of principal.

The undersigned herewith transmit the following tables containing the information required.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

THO. HILLHOUSE, *Comptroller*.

N. S. BENTON, *Auditor*.

Statement of payments from the Canal Fund to the General Fund, from 1817 to September 30th, 1866.

YEAR.	General Fund debt.	General Fund.	Cayuga Inlet, tolls and miscellaneous.	Total.	Annual interest on total, at 5 per cent.
1841,	.....	*\$1,837,602 73	.....	\$1,837,602 73	\$2,297,003 41
1842,	.....	200,000 00	.....	200,000 00	240,000 00
1843,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1844,	.....	100,000 00	.....	100,000 00	110,000 00
1845,	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1846,	.....	400,000 00	.....	400,000 00	400,000 00
1847,	\$471,916 66	200,000 00	.....	671,916 66	638,320 83
1848,	350,000 00	200,000 00	.....	550,000 00	495,000 00
1849,	350,000 00	200,000 00	\$60 75	550,060 75	467,551 64
1850,	350,000 00	200,000 00	102 98	550,102 98	440,082 38
1851,	350,000 00	200,000 00	95 20	550,095 20	412,571 40
1852,	350,000 00	200,000 00	115 07	550,115 07	385,080 55
1853,	350,000 00	200,000 00	135 89	550,135 89	357,588 33
1854,	350,000 00	200,000 00	155 58	550,155 58	330,093 35
1855,	350,000 00	.....	163 93	350,163 93	192,590 16
1856,	350,000 00	.....	164 06	350,164 06	175,082 03
1857,	262,500 00	.....	193 91	262,693 91	118,212 26
1858,	.....	.....	95 09	95 09	38 04
1859,	.....	.....	86 97	86 97	30 44
1860,	.....	.....	86 72	86 72	26 02
1861,	.....	.....	73 99	73 99	18 50
1862,	350,000 00	120 97	350,120 97	70,024 19
1863,	350,000 00	200,000 00	193 20	550,193 20	82,528 98

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1864,	350,000 00	200,000 00	1,588 42	551,588 42	55,158 84
1865,	950,000 00	151,113 40	135 02	1,101,248 42	55,062 42
1866,	782,961 04	.....	143 22	783,104 26	.....
	\$6,667,377 70	\$4,688,716 13	\$3,710 97	\$11,359,804 80	\$7,322,063 77
Interest, .....	.....	.....	.....	7,322,063 77	
				\$18,681,868 57	

* Loans in pursuance of chapter 356, Laws of 1856, declared liquidated and settled by section 6, chapter 268, Laws of 1841.

Statement of payments from the General Fund on account of the Canals, from Jan. 1, 1817, to Sept. 30, 1866.

YEAR.	Salt Duty.*	Vendue duty.*	Steamboat tax.†	Sales of lands.‡	Deficiencies in revenues of lateral canals.§
1817,	\$2,926 28	\$72,061 41	\$16,509 93	.....	.....
1818,	48,784 27	145,943 02	18,902 70	.....	.....
1819,	54,410 69	111,319 04	16,412 44	.....	.....
1820,	67,038 67	122,653 07	6,684 92	.....	.....
1821,	46,345 24	121,195 97	5,000 00	.....	.....
1822,	65,416 37	146,485 59	5,000 00	.....	.....
1823,	102,221 64	181,814 36	5,000 00	.....	.....
1824,	99,211 18	196,424 73	.....	.....	.....
1825,	71,222 75	253,452 38	.....	\$2,371 30	.....
1826,	83,272 59	203,737 84	.....	483 37	.....
1827,	126,030 58	265,290 65	.....	28,826 41	.....
1828,	118,423 89	221,686 40	.....	.....	.....
1829,	157,160 58	215,385 18	.....	13,522 32	.....
1830,	163,421 55	179,681 02	.....	911 67	\$38,068 29
1831,	98,703 91	155,901 66	.....	.....	21,440 74
1832,	179,096 46	250,424 02	.....	17,868 17	23,177 54
1833,	227,860 05	181,014 23	.....	3,223 45	63,295 54
1834,	160,782 98	169,337 04	.....	934 43	69,964 96
1835,	118,364 92	211,037 24	.....	2,441 03	44,465 39
1836,	64,763 46	187,194 20	.....	27,132 00	94,507 65
1837,	.....	.....	.....	2,218 05	217,385 59
1838,	.....	.....	.....	3,822 98	245,891 95
1839,	.....	.....	.....	.....	226,027 95
1840,	.....	.....	.....	.....	342,273 28

Statement of payments from the General Fund — (Continued).

YEAR.	Direct tax.	Interest and principal of canal loans.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Interest at 5 per cent.
1817,	\$4,000 00	\$95,497 82	\$233,969 17
1818,	213,629 99	512,711 98
1819,	182,142 17	428,034 10
1820,	196,376 86	451,686 32
1821,	172,541 21	388,217 72
1822,	384 35	217,286 31	478,029 88
1823,	289,036 00	621,427 40
1824,	295,635 91	620,335 41
1825,	4,299 34	331,345 77	679,258 83
1826,	1,610 23	289,164 03	578,208 06
1827,	300 50	420,448 14	819,873 87
1828,	3,500 00	343,610 29	652,359 55
1829,	7,176 82	393,244 90	727,503 06
1830,	4,117 68	386,200 21	695,160 33
1831,	3,894 37	279,940 68	469,896 19
1832,	1,800 53	472,366 72	803,023 42
1833,	9,795 02	485,168 29	800,560 68
1834,	25,828 46	426,847 87	682,956 59
1835,	5,800 16	382,108 74	592,268 55
1836,	1,259 99	374,857 30	562,285 95
1837,	2,582 83	222,186 47	522,170 38
1838,	10,749 11	260,464 04	364,649 66
1839,	20,876 99	246,904 94	333,321 67
1840,	17,764 81	360,028 09	468,036 52

Statement of payments from the General Fund—(Continued).

YEAR.	Direct tax.	Interest and principal of canal loans.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Interest at 5 per cent.
1841,	.....	.....	\$3,149 98	\$3,149 98	\$3,937 47
1842,	.....	.....	2,066 05	2,066 05	2,479 26
1843,	.....	.....	250 00	250 00	287 50
1844,	\$278,197 56	.....	867 33	279,064 89	306,971 38
1845,	2,366 02	.....	7,789 33	10,155 35	10,663 12
1846,	56,503 47	.....	478 38	56,981 85	56,981 85
1847,	119,410 30	.....	433 00	119,843 30	113,851 13
1848,	.....	.....	952 24	952 24	857 02
1849,	.....	.....	3,044 16	3,044 16	2,587 54
1850,	.....	.....	600 00	600 00	480 00
1851,	.....	\$9,411 63	198 38	9,610 01	7,207 51
1852,	.....	18,102 67	6,885 00	24,987 67	17,491 37
1853,	.....	12,629 28	.....	12,629 28	8,209 08
1854,	621,467 47	9,629 28	1,694 26	632,791 01	379,674 61
1855,	.....	26,764 38	9,031 86	35,796 24	19,687 93
1856,	320,000 00	24,629 28	.....	344,629 28	172,314 64
1857,	262,500 00	24,629 28	8,703 89	295,833 17	133,124 93
1858,	1,240,500 00	24,629 28	800 00	1,265,929 28	506,371 71
1859,	890,567 66	24,629 28	**114,302 68	1,029,499 62	360,324 87
1860,	1,069,515 70	24,629 28	**85,562 71	1,179,707 69	353,912 31
1861,	840,552 28	32,129 28	233 74	872,915 30	218,228 82
1862,	2,769,623 09	34,629 28	183 94	2,804,436 31	560,887 26
1863,	1,420,188 45	34,629 28	10,240 48	1,465,058 21	219,758 73

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Statement of payments from the General Fund — (Continued).

YEAR.	Salt duty.	Vendue duty.	Steamboat tax.	Sales of land.	Deficiencies in revenues of lateral canals.
1864, .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1865, .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1866, .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	\$2,055,458 06	\$3,592,039 05	\$73,509 99	\$103,755 18	\$1,386,498 88

Statement of payments from the General Fund—(Continued).

YEAR.	Direct tax.	Interest and principal of canal loans.	Miscellaneous.	Total.	Interest at 5 per cent.
1864,	\$535,373 94	\$24,629 28	††75,490 61	\$635,493 83	\$63,549 38
1865,	881,779 20	73,879 28	23,260 86	978,919 34	48,945 97
1866,	2,147,613 92	19,221 96	40,779 98	2,207,615 86	.....
Interest,	\$13,456,159 06	\$418,802 00	\$522,730 05	\$21,608,952 27	\$16,875,710 68
				16,875,710 68	
				\$38,484,662 95	

* No duty received after 1866.

** Includes \$194,062.71 erroneously paid General Fund "to defray the necessary expenses of Government," and refunded.

†† Includes \$46,290.61 for premium on coin to pay interest on a portion of the canal debt.

† None paid after 1866.

‡ None stated after 1866.

§ None stated after 1866.

STATE OF NEW YORK.

No. 121.

IN CONVENTION

September 13, 1867.

A SUBSTITUTE

PRESENTED BY MR. FERRY.

Resolved, That the following be substituted in committee of the whole for the reports presented by the committee on the judiciary.

1 SECTION 1. The Assembly shall have the power of impeach-
2 ment by the vote of the majority of all the members elected.
3 The court for the trial of impeachments shall be composed of
4 the President of the Senate, the Senators, or a major part of
5 them, and the judges of the Court of Appeals, or a major part of
6 them. On the trial of an impeachment against the Governor, the
7 Lieutenant-Governor shall not act as a member of the court.
8 No judicial officer shall exercise his office after he shall have been

9 impeached until he shall have been acquitted. Before the trial
10 of an impeachment the members of the court shall take an oath
11 or affirmation, truly and impartially to try the impeachment
12 according to evidence; and no person shall be convicted with-
13 out the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.
14 Judgments in cases of impeachment, shall not extend further
15 than to removal from office and disqualification to hold and
16 enjoy any office of trust or profit under this State. But the
17 party impeached shall be liable to indictment and punishment
18 according to law.

1 SEC. 2. There shall be a Court of Appeals, composed of
2 seven judges, to be elected by the electors of the State. Pro-
3 vision shall be made by law for designating one of the number
4 so elected as chief judge. They shall be classified so that one
5 of the judges shall go out of office at the end of every two years.
6 After the expiration of their terms under such classification, the
7 term of their office shall be fourteen years. The judges of the
8 Court of Appeals shall have power to appoint and remove a
9 clerk of said court, a reporter thereof, and such attendants as
10 shall be authorized by law. The judges of said court shall
11 reside, during their entire term of office, at the place where the
12 court shall be held, and such court shall be always open.

1 SEC. 3. Upon the organization of the Court of Appeals under
2 this Constitution, the causes then pending in the present Court

3 of Appeals, shall become vested in the Court of Appeals hereby
4 created. Such of said causes as are pending on the first day of
5 January, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, shall be heard and
6 determined by a commission, to consist of five Commissioners of
7 Appeals. But the Court of Appeals hereby created, for cause
8 shown, may order any cause thus pending before the said com-
9 missioners, to be heard in the Court of Appeals hereby created.
10 Such commission shall consist of the judges of the present
11 Court of Appeals, elected thereto, and a fifth commissioner, who
12 shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and
13 consent of the Senate.

1 SEC. 4. If any vacancy shall occur in the office of said Com-
2 missioners, it shall be filled by appointment by the Governor, by
3 and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and if the Senate
4 is not in session, by the Governor. But in such case the term
5 of office shall expire at the end of the session of the Senate next
6 after such appointment. The said Commissioners shall appoint
7 from their number a Chief Commissioner (and may appoint
8 and remove such attendants as shall be provided for by law),
9 (and may in like manner fill all vacancies in such appointments).
10 The reporter of the Court of Appeals shall be the reporter of
11 said Commissioners, and the decisions of said Commissioners
12 shall be certified to, and enforced as the judgment of the Court
13 of Appeals. The said commission with the assent of the Legisla-

14 ture shall continue for three years, unless the causes committed
15 to it are sooner determined. But the Legislature may at any
16 time after the expiration of one year, abolish said commission. If
17 at the time such commission shall expire or cease, all the causes
18 assigned to it shall not have been heard and determined, those
19 remaining undetermined shall be heard and disposed of by the
20 Court of Appeals hereby created.

1 SEC. 5. There shall be a Supreme Court having general juris-
2 diction in law and equity.

1 SEC. 6. The State shall be divided into three judicial districts
2 to be divided by county lines, and to be compact and equal in
3 population as near as may be. There shall be five judges elected
4 in each district by the electors thereof respectively. They shall
5 be classified so that one of the judges shall go out of office at
6 the end of every two years. After the expiration of their terms
7 under this classification, the term of the office shall be ten years;
8 provision may be made by law for designating from time to time,
9 one or more of said judges to preside at said courts, and any
10 three or more of said judges may hold said courts. They shall
11 have an appellate jurisdiction only. Said judges shall reside
12 during their entire term of office at the place where their res-
13 pective courts shall be held, and such courts shall be always
14 open. The judges of said court shall have power to appoint
15 and remove a clerk for their courts respectively.

1 SEC. 7. There shall be elected in each of the counties of this
2 State by the electors thereof, a Justice of the Supreme Court
3 who shall hold his office for the term of eight years. He shall
4 hold a court which shall have jurisdiction of, and in which shall
5 be transacted, all business now done by Circuit Courts, Courts of
6 Oyer and Terminer, special terms of the Supreme Court, County
7 Courts and Courts of Sessions, and such justice may perform at
8 Chambers all such business as Justices of the Supreme Court, and
9 County Judges now perform. He shall appoint and may remove
10 a clerk of said court; he shall reside at the county seat where
11 his court shall be held, and such court shall be always open.
12 Such justice shall have jurisdiction to act in any county within,
13 the State, and the Legislature may provide for the temporary
14 exchange or transfer of such justices, from one county into
15 another.

1 SEC. 8. The Legislature shall have the same powers to alter
2 and regulate the jurisdiction and proceedings in law and equity,
3 as they have heretofore possessed.

1 SEC. 9. The judges of the Court of Appeals, and judges and
2 justices of the Supreme Court shall severally receive at stated
3 times for their services, a compensation to be established by law
4 which shall not be increased or diminished during their continu-
5 ance in office.

1 **SEC. 10.** The judges of the Court of Appeals and judges and
2 justices of the Supreme Court, shall hold no other office or pub-
3 lic trust. All votes for either of them for any elective office
4 (except that of judge or justice aforesaid), given by the Legisla-
5 ture or people, shall be void. They shall not exercise any power
6 of appointment to public office, except as is herein specifically
7 provided.

1 **SEC. 11.** The division aforesaid of the State into districts;
2 the classification of the aforesaid judges of the Court of Appeals
3 and Supreme Court; the time and manner of the election of said
4 judges and the justices of the Supreme Court, and the place of
5 holding the respective courts, shall be provided for by law.

1 **SEC. 12.** The testimony in equity cases shall be taken in like
2 manner as in cases at law.

1 **SEC. 13.** Justices and judges of the Supreme Court and
2 judges of the Court of Appeals may be removed by concurrent
3 resolution of both houses of the Legislature, if two-thirds of all
4 the members elected to the Assembly and a majority of all the
5 members elected to the Senate concur therein. All judicial offi-
6 cers, except those mentioned in this section, and except justices
7 of the peace and judges and justices of inferior courts, not of
8 record, may be removed by the Senate on the recommendation
9 of the Governor, but no removal shall be made by virtue of this

10 section unless the cause thereof be entered on the journals, nor
11 unless the party complained of shall have been served with a
12 copy of the complaint against him, and shall have had an oppor-
13 tunity of being heard in his defense. On the question of removal
14 the ayes and noes shall be entered on the journal.

1 SEC. 14. In case the office of any judge of the Court of Appeals
2 or any judge or justice of the Supreme Court, shall become
3 vacant before the expiration of the regular term for which he
4 was elected, the vacancy may be filled by appointment by the
5 Governor, until it shall be supplied by the next general election
6 of judges, when it shall be filled by election for the residue of
7 the unexpired term.

1 SEC. 15. There shall be elected in each of the counties of this
2 State an officer to perform the duties of Surrogate, and inferior
3 local courts of civil and criminal jurisdiction may be established
4 by the Legislature in cities; and such courts, except for the cities
5 of New York and Buffalo, shall have an uniform organization
6 and jurisdiction in such cities.

1 SEC. 16. The Legislature may reorganize the judicial districts
2 at the first session after the return of every enumeration under
3 this Constitution, in the manner provided for in the sixth section
4 of this article, and at no other time. The number of districts
5 or of judges therein shall not be increased, but either may be
6 lessened.

1 **SEC. 17.** The electors of the several towns shall, at their
2 annual town meeting, and in such manner as the Legislature
3 may direct, elect justices of the peace, whose term of office shall
4 be four years. In case of an election to fill a vacancy occurring
5 before the expiration of a full term, they shall hold for the resi-
6 due of the unexpired term. Their number and classification
7 may be regulated by law. Justices of the peace and judges and
8 justices of inferior courts not of record, and their clerks, may be
9 removed after due notice, and an opportunity of being heard in
10 their defense, by such county, city or State courts as may be
11 prescribed by law for causes to be assigned in the order of
12 removal.

1 **SEC. 18.** All judicial officers of cities and villages, and all
2 such judicial officers as may be created therein by law, shall be
3 elected at such times and in such manner as the Legislature may
4 direct.

1 **SEC. 19.** No judicial officer, except justices of the peace, shall
2 secure to his own use any fees or perquisites of office. Nor shall
3 any judicial officer in the State, except a surrogate, justice of
4 the peace or police justice, nor shall any judicial officer in the
5 city of New York or city of Brooklyn, practice as an attorney
6 or counsellor at law in any court of record in this State, or act
7 as referee.

1 SEC. 20. The Legislature shall provide for the speedy publi-
2 cation of all statute laws, and of such judicial decisions as it
3 may deem expedient, and all laws and judicial decisions shall be
4 free for publication by any person.

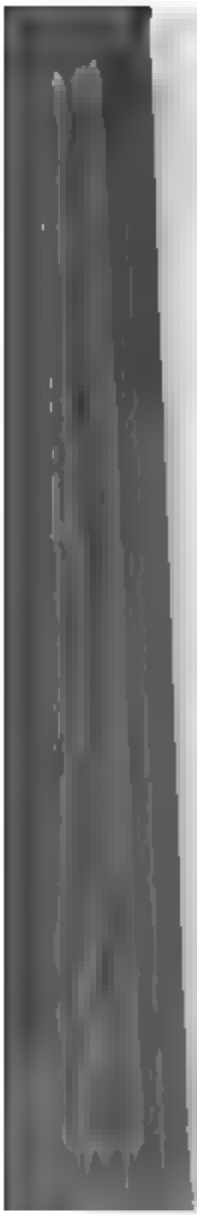
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2 decrees, and decisions of any local inferior, court of record of
3 original civil jurisdiction established in a city to be removed
4 directly into the Court of Appeals.

1 SEC. 22. The first election of judges of the Court of Appeals,
2 of judges and justices of the Supreme Court, and of surrogates
3 where the latter office shall become vacant by the adoption of
4 this Constitution, shall take place at such time as the Legisla-
5 ture shall prescribe, between the first Tuesday of April, and
6 first Tuesday of June 1868. The officers thus elected, and the
7 aforesaid Commissioners of Appeal shall respectively enter upon
8 their duties on the first Monday of July next thereafter.

1 SEC. 23. The judges of the present Court of Appeals, and
2 the justices of the present Supreme Court, are hereby declared
3 to be severally eligible to any office at the first election under
4 this Constitution.

1 SEC. 24. On the first Monday of July 1868, jurisdiction of
2 all suits and proceedings in the present Supreme Court, Courts

3 of Oyer and Terminer, County Courts and Courts of Sessions
4 shall become vested in the Supreme Court hereby created, and
5 the Legislature, at its first session after the adoption of this Con-
6 stitution, shall provide for the proper distribution of all such
7 suits and proceedings among the several departments of the
8 Supreme Court hereby created. And all courts within the State
9 established, or superseded by the adoption of this Constitution,
10 by law which are not abolished, shall remain as heretofore, sub-
11 ject to be modified, changed or abolished as the law shall direct.



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MAJORITY REPORT

OF THE COMMITTEE ON STATE PRISONS, AND THE PREVENTION AND PUNISHMENT OF CRIME.

The Committee on State prisons and the prevention and punishment of crime respectfully

REPORT.

I.

STATE PRISONS.

That a careful review of the reports of the Inspectors of State prisons, and such other evidence as has been brought under our notice, satisfies us that the mode of governing prisons established by the Constitution of 1846, is essentially defective and that the interests of the people imperatively require the adoption of a different and an improved system.

The reports are chiefly devoted to the discussion of financial details, and there is an absence of those broad views of their duties in relation to the improvement of prison discipline, and the reformation of offenders which we might reasonably expect to find if the

Inspectors had been men who were selected on the ground of their personal fitness for such duties of their office.

The financial results of their administration are such as might have been expected from men who were thus elected, almost by chance, and without intelligent selection.

During this period, the excess of expenditure above income, was at Auburn prison.....	\$294,239 86
" Sing Sing " 	1,192,904 55
" Clinton " 	727,955 02
Making a total excess of expenditure at the three prisons of.....	<u>\$2,215,099 43</u>

The total salaries of Inspectors during this period was.....	\$96,712 49
The total traveling expenses of the Inspectors was.	19,734 86
" " " agents was....	4,107 56
The amount paid to sheriffs for the transportation of convicts was.....	396,197 47
The amount paid for the apprehension of escaped convicts was.....	1,260 73
Making the total cost to the people of prisons for twenty years.....	<u>\$2,733,112 54</u>

The annual average of convicts at Sing Sing for 20 years has been.....	1,000
The annual average of convicts at Auburn for 20 years has been.....	690
The annual average of convicts at Clinton for 20 years has been.....	296
The average number in all the prisons for 20 years has been.....	1,926

The total average cost of each prisoner at the three prisons, above his earnings for 20 years, has been.	\$1,376 19
The total average cost of each prisoner at Auburn, above his earnings for 20 years, has been.....	426 43
The total average cost of each prisoner at Sing Sing, above his earnings for 20 years, has been.....	1,192 93

The total average cost of each prisoner at Clinton, above his earnings for 20 years, has been.....	\$1,762 60
The annual average cost of each convict at the three prisons has been.....	68 81
The annual average cost of each convict at Auburn has been.....	21 32
The annual average cost of each convict at Sing Sing has been.....	59 64
The annual average cost of each convict at Clinton has been.....	88 13

We have had before us the accounts of the Albany Penitentiary, extending from the year 1849 to the year 1866, from which it appears that the total earnings of the convicts during that period was

While the expenditures were.....

Leaving a net balance of profit of.....

The only years during which the expenditures exceeded the earnings were those of 1849, 1850 and 1858.

The net annual earnings of each convict at the Penitentiary, over the cost of his maintenance, has therefore been, \$20.08.

In the year 1864, the net earnings amounted to.....	\$20,373 45
In the year 1865, the net earnings amounted to.....	21,380 04
In the year 1866, the net earnings amounted to.....	24,412 49

In order that the superior management at this penitentiary may be fully understood, it must be noticed that of the 16,774 convicts sent during the period above indicated, 7,400 were sent there on sentences varying from ten days to three months. This latter class has been a dead weight upon it, as the contractors for the services of convicts will not employ them, as they would not have time to learn their trades in the short time of their confinement. The large amount of net earnings was therefore earned by 9,374 convicts.

The prisoners in our State prisons remain there from two to twenty years, and are, therefore, far more profitable than those of the penitentiary, and ought to insure a larger revenue to the State.

The average number of prisoners in the penitentiary for the eighteen years from 1849 to 1866, is 272. For the past eight years the average number has been 345.

The average number of deaths in our State prisons for the corresponding period has been 35, or one death to 55 prisoners.

The average number of escapes annually has been eight, or one to two hundred and forty convicts.

The average number of convicts who annually become insane in our State prisons is thirteen, or one in a hundred and forty-eight convicts.

The excellent health enjoyed by the prisoners at the Albany penitentiary, shows that this profit has not been obtained either by overworking the prisoners or by underfeed of them.

Of the 16,774 convicts which have passed through it, only 74 have died, which is less than one-half per cent of the whole number, or exactly one in two hundred and twenty-seven.

Forty-three of these deaths occurred in the single year 1866, when small-pox and typhus fever were both brought into the institution by the prisoners from Washington. If we exclude this exceptional year, the proportion of deaths is reduced to one in five hundred and eight.

The contrast in these statements is so striking that it speaks for itself, and requires no comment.

The financial balance sheet of a prison is not a conclusive test of the excellence of its managements. If the discipline is better maintained; if the wills of the convicts are more completely subdued; if they are more enlightened; if their moral feelings are more improved; if, on their liberation, they become better members of society, we may well excuse a large excess of expenditure over earnings.

On applying these tests, we do not find that our State prisons have anything to show of superior discipline or superior reformatory tendencies, which will console us for the enormous difference in their pecuniary results.

The 44th section of the prison act of 1847, requires the Inspectors to erect a specified number of cells at each of the prisons, each of which is to enclose a clear space of nine hundred and ninety-six cubic feet. The provisions of this section have never been executed, and it is a curious illustration of the care with which some of the Inspectors have studied the law they were required to administer, that they have told us after the expiration of their term of office, that they were never aware of the existence of such a section.

We believe that this section contains one of the most important provisions in the whole act. Every Inspector and every prison officer knows that the great mass of the prisoners can be governed with great facility if they are not incited to rebellion and disobedience by a few leading spirits of mischief who are found in every prison. Every warden can draw a sharp and well defined line between the governable and ungovernable convicts, the former being in an overwhelming majority.

If separate cells were built as required by § 44, the plotting and mischief making convicts could be effectually separated from the well disposed men, which would enable the officers to withdraw many of the offensive, and initiating rules which are now necessary; fewer guards and under keepers would be required, which would save these salaries to the State, and above all the reformation of the prisoners would be more certainly assured if the corrupting influences of the incendiaries were wholly withdrawn from them.

Entertaining these views, we look upon the total failure to carry this provision of law into practical effect, as an additional evidence that the provision of the present Constitution has failed to secure the services of competent men for the government of the prisons of the State.

The Inspector in charge of each prison is required by § 35 of the act of 1847, to spend one week at the prison assigned to him once in each month, and to give such instructions in writing for its government and discipline as he shall deem to be necessary. He is also required to keep a journal of his proceedings at each visitation, which must be recorded in the books of the prison and exhibited to the next general meeting of the Inspectors.

Many of the Inspectors have wholly disregarded these provisions, and very few of them have strictly observed its letter and its spirit. These omissions have in our opinion been one of the most operative causes of the evils, and the wastefulness which now exist.

If we inquire into the causes of the bad management of our prisons, we think we find them lying on the surface, patent to every inquirer.

The Inspectors of our prisons have never been selected for their personal fitness for the duties of their office, but solely from partizan considerations.

They are nominated by the State conventions of the respective parties, and by the usage of both parties, the nomination is always the last that is made, when the delegates are weary of the work and their interest in the subject is exhausted.

It follows from this, that some one is nominated who has been a disappointed candidate for a higher office, or who has aided some one else to procure a nomination, and who now receives the aid of the successful candidate and his friends as a requital. Or prison contractors are skillfully stationed around the room to suggest the name of some one in their interests to delegates who know nothing nor care nothing of the nominee.

It is in vain to say the people will choose wisely; the people have practically no choice in the matter. One man, of whom they have never heard before, is nominated by one party, and another man, of whom they are equally ignorant, is nominated by the other party. If they inquire of the delegates who made the nomination, as to their character or fitness, they learn that their delegates are as ignorant as themselves, and that they only voted for the candidate because some one who stood near them told them that he was the best man.

The people are therefore compelled to choose between two men, neither of whom they know, and who would have been as intelligently selected if their names had been drawn from an urn containing the names of all the electors in the State.

The Inspectors, who are elected on political grounds, are compelled in their turn to appoint the under officers of the prison from purely political considerations, and thus reward those by whose exertions they received their own nominations.

In many cases, and we think we may safely say in most cases, the under officers, upon whom the efficient working of the details of the discipline depends, are grossly unfit for the duties which devolve upon them.

The keepers of gambling houses and saloons, shoulder hitters and persons of disreputable character, who have acquired an influence at the polls, have been frequently appointed as under keepers, and are thus invested with the delicate and responsible duty of guarding and reforming the criminals of the State.

It is owing to the fact that so many dishonest men are appointed from political considerations to offices of trust and responsibility that such large sums have been wasted on our prisons.

It is because the keepers have so frequently been more depraved, and more profane than the convicts who have been placed in their charge, that so little progress has been made in the reformation.

If a man possessing a capacity for improvement, happens to receive an appointment as an assistant keeper, he is deterred from earnest efforts to fit himself for usefulness by the unstable tenure of his office. He knows that if the party that placed him in office is unsuccessful at the fall election, no amount of study or fidelity on his part will save him from being expelled, to make room for some hungry politician who has not a single qualification for the duties which he must discharge.

At the Albany Penitentiary all political considerations have been rigidly excluded from the very beginning. No officer has ever in a single instance been appointed on any other ground than his personal fitness for the place, and no one has ever been removed on any other ground than his personal unfitness for it.

Satisfied that political influence, and the uncertain tenure of office has been the bane of our prison system in the past, we have sought to devise a plan which would effectually secure the abolition of those influences for the future.

There was a period in the history of our Staté when our prison system was superior to that of any other in the world. Pilgrims from various European countries came here to study the plans of prison discipline, which we had devised and put in operation; and their reports, which were published on their return to their respective homes, were couched in the language not only of approbation but of laudation.

This day has long since passed. The taught have become the teachers, and many of the prisons of Europe are now far in advance of ours in every element of usefulness and of reformatory influence.

With the exception of the law passed under the administration of Governor Seymour, by which a continuous course of good conduct on the part of the convict was made to earn a remission of a part of his sentence, and which has worked in the most beneficial manner, there has been no marked improvement in the principles or the administration of our prison system.

The last report of the Prison Association has been laid upon the desks of the members of the Convention, and it may be presumed that they have made themselves acquainted with the plan for the reformation of convicts known as the Irish system, and which it is therefore unnecessary for us to describe in detail.

While our system deals wholly in penalties, the Irish system judiciously mingles penalties with rewards.

Our system makes very little provision for the discipline of the will; the prisoners are placed under a rigid coercion, which excludes the exercise of their own volitions. The Irish system provides for the gradual culture of the volitions, by allowing them gradually to come into contact with temptations, by which their powers of self restraint are clearly manifested, both to themselves and to those who are placed over them.

Our system is rigidly uniform, the same food, raiment and lodging; the same privileges and punishments and privations are awarded alike to the young and the old, to the evil and the good, without any discrimination.

The Irish system avoids this level uniformity and minutely individualizes the case of every convict, adapting itself exactly to the moral idiosyncrasy of each. The tyro in crime is treated very differently from the hardened offender; the shrinking and timid prisoner is not exposed to the same discipline that is properly applied to the bold and the hardened offender.

At every step in his progress he is brought directly into contact with the consequences of his own conduct. If he has been docile and obedient, he finds that his condition has been improved, and the duration of his punishment has been diminished. If, on the other hand, he has been unable to restrain his passions, and he has violated the rules, his condition has been made worse and the duration of his term has been increased.

Experience has shown that this system has produced the most marked and beneficent results, and it is a matter of great regret that the Inspectors have not sought to engraft them upon our own practice.

We cannot properly provide by any constitutional provisions directly for the improvements we have mentioned, since they embrace details which can only be adequately met by legislative enactments; but we have kept them in view in preparing the general provisions which are herewith submitted, and we hope they will be found to be a safe and solid foundation which can be built upon by the Legislature.

We do not impute any individual fault to the Inspectors who have filled the office for the last twenty years, nor do we wish to be considered as sitting in judgment upon them as individuals.

Our objections and animadversions must be considered as having reference to the system and not to the men.

II.

COMMON JAILS.

Your committee are of opinion that the legislation of our State in relation to common jails requires a most thorough revision and improvement. As at present constituted, they are nurseries of crime,

and in many cases they are instruments of cruelty. There is no system of central supervision, and no means of compelling boards of supervisors to make any improvements in their structure and management, even in cases where the most crying evils are demonstrated to exist.

As examples of the abuses which arise from the present system, or rather want of system, we may specify the jail of Orange county, situated in Newburgh, where from twelve to twenty-five prisoners are continually confined. It is situated in a cellar, which is wholly beneath the surface of the ground; it is so damp that it is necessary to keep a fire burning in it every day in the year, and even with this precaution, it is very unhealthy; the seeds of scrofulous consumption have been implanted in many prisoners who entered it in a healthy condition, and it has been rapidly developed in the jail when it was latent in the system.

The jail of Warren county is also situated under ground, and few prisoners are confined there for any considerable time without contracting rheumatism or diseases of the respiratory organs. One of the prisoners who entered it in perfect health, was so severely injured by rheumatism contracted there that he has become a cripple for life.

There are many other jails in the State which are only in a very slight degree, more propitious to health than those which we have particularly specified.

A great many jails are deficient in suitable accommodations for the reception of prisoners.

Since the Convention has been in session, and during one of the hottest days in July, seventeen women were confined in one room of the Albany jail, which as we were informed by the jailor, was sixteen feet long and fourteen feet wide.

The cells of that prison are four feet wide, eight feet long and seven feet high, three prisoners are frequently and from necessity, locked into them during the whole night and for a part of the day.

Such instances of overcrowding are very common in many of the county jails of the State.

Most of the jails in the State are so deficient in strength that they could not keep a skillful burglar within their walls for a single day. The jails in Hudson, Catskill, Martinsburgh and Sullivan could not resist the efforts of a burglar, who was determined to escape, for two hours.

They are also nurseries of crime.

By the act of 1847, the Inspectors of prisons were required to visit the common jails of the State, and though they were subsequently relieved, at their request, from this labor by the Legislature, their opinions are fully expressed in several of their reports made prior to the alteration of the law.

They declare in the most emphatic terms, that the indiscriminate mingling of the young and the old; the innocent and the guilty; the tyro and the graduate in crime, for the whole day, is productive of evil, and only evil continually.

Their opinion is echoed by every writer on the subject known to them; by every one who has had personal experience of the working of our present system, and by the uniform tenor of all the reports of the Prison Association.

Your committee are fully satisfied that there is no one of the sources of crime which is more operative in the multiplication of thieves and burglars than the common jails of the State as at present organized.

A very considerable number of the jails in the State have been repeatedly presented by grand juries as nuisances. Their deficiencies have been annually brought under the notice of the supervisors by the reports of the Prison Association.

But the cases are very few where the supervisors have taken any notice of these indignant protests, and we have ceased to hope for any amelioration of the evils complained of from the action of the county authorities.

Between seventy and eighty thousand persons pass annually through our jails, and the question whether this numerous host are made better or worse by their passage, is one of vast importance to the community.

The proof is ample and positive that our present system is as bad as it possibly can be, and there is not the slightest hope of its improvement without a radical change in the system as now administered.

III.

STATE POLICE.

No agency has yet been established for the State by which the machinery of the law can be set intelligently into operation when a theft, a forgery or a murder has been committed.

If a farmer has a horse or a flock of sheep stolen, he is compelled to pursue the thief himself and to offer a reward for his detection, payable out of his own pocket.

It does not seem just to inflict the great expense of pursuit upon one who has just suffered a severe loss of his property.

The farmer who has had his whole flock of sheep stolen, has no more sheep to lose, and has, therefore, much less interest in the capture and punishment of the thief than his neighbors, who have flocks that are still exposed to his depredations, if he is left at large.

Besides the injustice of requiring the loser to incur the expenses incident to the detection and capture of a thief, it is evident that a farmer who can know nothing of the ways of thieves, and whose attention has never before been directed to the pursuit of them, will have great difficulty in obtaining the clue which will put him upon their track. Hundreds of marks, and of facts, and circumstances which, to a trained police officer, would be replete with significance and luminous with meaning, are to him of no value, and give him no aid in arriving at definite conclusions. Hence, much precious time is lost, the thief has ample time to conceal his plunder and to elude successful pursuit.

The amount of property known by the police of the city of New York to be stolen in the year 1866, was \$3,235,913.

Mr. S. C. Hawley, chief clerk of the police, in a statement made to your committee expresses the opinion that there are no reliable data upon which a safe estimate of the total amount of losses by felonies

in the Metropolitan district could be made. He says "it may be safely assumed that the total value of the property stolen in all manner of ways and never missed, is very large. There is constant pilfering of clothing, money, provisions, fuel, and all manner of property in a large majority of the houses, stores and places of business in New York. Sometimes it is known, but cannot be proved; at other times it is winked at, or the party discharged and no charge made, but oftener probably it is not discovered." "I think the gross sum lost in this way far exceeds the total of all that is reported by the police. There are thousands of these little transactions daily, which would make a vast aggregate in the year."

"It is safe to assume that there are numerous losses by felony that are detected, and the publication suppressed, sometimes to recover the property, sometimes from motives supposed to be humane. And there are many robberies and defalcations where the parties act as their own detectives, or employ detectives outside of this department."

"This class of robberies is perhaps as extensive in amount as those reported here."

"Finally, I am of opinion that the losses in the city of New York by felonious means amount annually to more than three times the amount reported to the police department."

The population of the cities and villages of the State outside of the Metropolitan district, which have a population exceeding 7,000 inhabitants, is almost exactly half a million. The population of the whole State is 3,831,777. The population of Richmond, Westchester, New York, Kings and Queens, which are embraced in the Metropolitan district is 1,196,398.

If now, in accordance with the estimate of Mr. Hawley, we assume the total loss from felonies in the city of New York at \$9,000,000 during the year 1866, and that the population outside that district suffered one fourth of the losses in proportion to the population, then \$4,954,000 would be the amount of such loss outside that district, and \$13,954,000 would represent the losses of the whole State for that year.

We have evidence that the losses of cattle, horses, sheep, and other property in the rural districts are annually increasing, that the number of habitual depredators on property is augmenting; that they are more and more in the habit of aggregating themselves into bands organized for the purpose of mutual assistance and defense, that the members of these bands are known to each other by signs, grips, pass words and other signals, that many of the members of these organizations are possessed of all the resources of science, and of mechanical skill; so that they are thereby enabled to overcome every means of resistance which the ingenuity of man has devised for the security of their possessions.

In view of these facts, it seems to us to be clearly established that the security and the welfare of society require that additional guarantees should be provided, and that, organization and skill on the part of burglars, robbers and murderers, should be met by a corresponding organization of science and skill for the protection of the honest and law abiding portion of the community.

The cities of New York and Brooklyn, with a considerable portion of contiguous territory, has been included in the Metropolitan Police district, and the cities of Albany and Troy, with some of the populous villages around them, have been associated by the name of the Capital Police district. Other cities and districts of the State, have from time to time received police organizations and additional police powers from the authority of the State.

The results of these organizations and grants of power have been, on the whole, advantageous to the community. We believe that the security of persons and property has been greatly increased, and that crime has been detected and punished to a far greater extent than they would have been if these organizations had not existed, and that many crimes which have been meditated, have been nipped in the bud before they were actually committed, by the obstacles which these organizations have interposed to the commission of them.

It is believed, however, that the system thus partially inaugurated is susceptible of very great improvement; that it should embrace the whole State in its provisions, and that it should consist of one organic whole, by means of which the police of Suffolk should act,

if necessary, in concert with that of Chautauqua, and the police of Richmond in concert with that of St. Lawrence.

The police organizations at present existing are isolated in their arrangements and have no legal connection whatever. The Metropolitan police and the Capital police have no mutual legal relations, and they cannot call upon one another in the cases where mutual assistance is of the utmost necessity for the furtherance of public justice.

A general State police organization would entirely remedy this difficulty. If a regular gradation of police officers, acting under the superintendence of a single head, were established, a robbery or murder in Franklin county would be known over the whole State, police officers and detectives would at once be stationed at every railroad depot, steamboat landing, and at every gorge in the mountains, so that it would be almost impossible for the felon to escape or conceal his plunder.

If a machine or tool were being made in some secluded district, as for example, an hydraulic press for forcing bank safes; the eye of the local officer would be arrested by it, he would watch for the person for whom it was making, and when found he would ascertain, as he easily could do by methods well known to police experts, where he resided; the officer would then communicate the facts to the Police Inspector of the district, who would quietly inform the banks within the circle of danger that increased vigilance must be observed; and as fresh information came to hand he would from time to time communicate it to them. Being thus forewarned, they would meet with no loss, and the burglar would probably be caught in the very act.

The superior advantages of the more complete organization are so apparent that we deem it unnecessary to dwell any longer upon them.

We cannot overlook the fact that the police system in the fragmentary form in which it is now enforced, has produced a great deal of heart burning and animosity in the minds of a very considerable portion of the community. They believe that the autonomy of cities and counties has been unnecessarily violated, and that great

violence has been done to the republican idea which underlies our whole system of government.

On the other hand a very large and influential portion of the citizens of the State are fully impressed with the conviction, that the interests of the whole body of the people of the State in the proper working of the police, are too great to be surrendered to the sole keeping of any single municipal corporation.

We believe it is easy to establish a police system which will avoid the dangers of both Scylla and Charybdis, and which will equally satisfy the friends and the enemies of the present system.

Messrs. Matsell and McKellar have prepared a plan at our request, which is herewith submitted, and which, with some amendments, we believe will be well adapted to meet the wants of the community.

It cannot, of course, be embodied in the Constitution, but it is to be hoped that the Legislature will adopt it and give it a fair trial. The constitutional provisions which we herewith report to the Convention are intended as a basis for the anticipated legislative action.

Your Committee having thus expressed their views respecting the evils and the dangers which are incident to the present system for the detection and punishment of crime, have endeavored to provide a remedy for them in the sections of the proposed Constitution herewith submitted.

They have recommended a single head for the prisons of the State, believing that a greater unity of purpose, a greater economy of administration, and, above all, a much more perfect responsibility will be secured to the people of the State than they have enjoyed under the operation of the system inaugurated by the Constitution of 1846.

We would greatly desire the abolition of the present system of letting the services of the convicts to contractors. Experience has demonstrated that the influence of this class of men is exceedingly injurious to the discipline of the prison, and that they are generally at the root of most of the evils which have so long existed and which have been so adverse to the reformation of the prisoner and to the best interests of the State.

The present average earnings of the convicts per capita is about fifty-nine cents per day. The wages of men in similar employments outside of the prison is from one dollar and seventy-five cents to three dollars and fifty cents. The actual value of the convict's services to the contractors is fully two-thirds of what is given to workmen outside of the prison. The profits of the contractors are therefore enormous, as is shown by the great fortunes that they accumulate. These men, if skillfully managed and employed directly by the State, would be a source of profit to it, which at the most moderate computation would not be less than three hundred thousand dollars per annum, and at the same time it would guard effectually against those adverse influences to the reformation of the prisoner which always follow in the wake of the contractor and his agents.

In order to effect this most important object, it has seemed clear to us that the chief power of the prisons must be vested in a single head. It is only in this way that we can secure the unity of purpose, the firmness of will, the commercial intelligence, and the full responsibility which is essential for the prosecution of large manufacturing operations and for the profitable disposition of the manufactured articles.

The introduction of an improved system of rewards as well as punishments in our prisons, which has been inaugurated in Ireland, and which has proved there to be so beneficial, and the abolition of the contract system, which has proved so disastrous to our prison discipline, alike depend upon the adoption of a single head for their government.

It is obviously impossible to remedy the abuses which we have shown to exist in the management of our common jails by constitutional provisions; it is only by legislative enactments that the minute provisions required for their reorganization can be safely supplied. But we have deemed it proper to provide by a constitutional sanction, that the Superintendent of Prisons shall have a general power of supervision over the jails and all other places for the custody of persons charged with the commission of crime or convicted of it; leaving it to the Legislature to ascertain what specific powers and duties shall be conferred upon him for the purpose of applying a remedy to existing evils.

We have carefully considered the resolution offered by Mr. Field, respecting the abolition of the death penalty which was referred to us by the Convention; and we are unanimously of the opinion that it is a subject which is entirely within the scope of legislative action, and without expressing any opinion respecting the expediency or inexpediency of its abolition, we recommend that it shall not be included among the provisions of the Constitution.

The committee propose the following sections.

ARTICLE.

1 SECTION 1. There shall be one Superintendent of prisons to
2 be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and
3 consent of the Senate, to hold his office for seven years: He
4 shall have the charge and superintendence of the State prisons,
5 and the supervision with power of visitation of all other places
6 for the custody of persons charged with or convicted of crime.
7 His compensation shall be fixed by law.

1 SEC. 2. There shall be one warden for each of the State
2 prisons, to be appointed by the Governor, by and with the
3 advice and consent of the Senate upon the recommendation of
4 the Superintendent of prisons, to hold office during good beha-
5 vior; he shall appoint all the subordinate officers of his prison
6 except the clerk, chaplain and physician, who shall be appointed
7 by the Superintendent of prisons.

1 SEC. 3. The Superintendent of prisons shall possess such
2 powers and perform such duties in respect to the county jails,
3 the local or district penitentiaries, and other penal and reforma-
4 tory institutions within the State, as the Legislature shall by law
5 prescribe.

1 SEC. 4. The Legislature may provide for the appointment for
2 each of the State prisons of a local board of visitors with powers
3 and duties to be defined by law.

1 SEC. 5. A State superintendent of police shall be appointed by
2 the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate,
3 who shall hold his office for seven years, and who shall have the
4 general direction and control of the police of the State.

1 SEC. 6. The Legislature shall divide the State into five police
2 districts. It shall be the duty of the State Superintendent of
3 police to appoint an inspector in each of said districts. He
4 shall also sub-divide each of said districts into five sub-districts,
5 and appoint a sub-inspector for each, and may remove them for
6 misconduct.

1 SEC. 7. In conformity with the provisions of the preceding
2 sections, the Legislature shall provide by law for a general sys-
3 tem of police, extending over the whole State, with a force pro-
4 portioned to the necessities of each sub-division, and no other
5 police force shall be organized except under its provisions.

1 SEC. 8. The Governor may remove the Superintendent of
2 Prisons or the Superintendent of Police, for malfeasance or mis-
3 feance in office, after having furnished him with a copy of the
4 charges against him, and giving him an opportunity of being
5 heard in his defense; and in the meantime, the Governor may
6 suspend the one so charged from duty until said charges are
7 determined. The Superintendent of Prisons may suspend the
8 wardens from office, and the Governor may remove them on

9 the complaint of the Superintendent, after having been furnished
10 with a copy of the charges against them, and giving them an
11 opportunity to be heard in their defense.

JOHN STANTON GOULD,

Chairman.

M. LINDLEY LEE,

N. G. AXTELL.

I concur in recommending the adoption of the article reported, except those parts thereof requiring the *appointment* of the superintendents of prisons and police. I prefer that those officers should be elected by the people of the State.

ROBERT COCHRAN.

I concur mainly in the provisions of the article recommended, reserving right of exception to terms of office proposed, the legislative provision in regard to local boards of visitors, and the unmodified control over local police or its supercession by the State police.

A. B. CONGER.

STATISTICS.

	Number of indictments.	No. admitted to bail.	Number tried.	Number who confessed their guilt.	Amount of for- feited bail.	Am't paid to county treas'r.	Sentences sus- pended.	No. sentenced after suspen- sion.
Albany,	3,606	977	262	604	\$17,250	.....	.....	.....
Cayuga,	704	183	125	139	4,000	\$1,510	.....	.....
Chemung,	737	No rec'd	188	126	No record.	.....	.....	.....
Clinton,	399	212	199	98	17,550	.....	41	4
Columbia,	264	208	55	84	6,150	.....	.....	.....
Cortland,	235	244	42	47	22,600	.....	.....	.....
Delaware,	254	691	51	42	250	250	.....	.....
Dutchess,	534	307	100	65	4,200	.....	.....	.....
Erie,	2,137	981	1,402	677	.....	.....	.....	.....
Superior Court, Buffalo,	1,355	693	.....	.....	109,150	.....	16	9
Franklin,	157	562	32	97	4,200	1,020	42	.....
Genesee,	450	269	106	182	4,200	1,905	13	12
Greene,	135	92	47	31	7,050	.....	.....	.....
Hamilton,	37	36	.....	.....	No return.	No ret'n.	.....	.....
*Herkimer,	69	17	5	50	.....	.....	.....	.....
†Jefferson,	420	619	146	30	22,000	1,000	.....	.....
†Lewis,	124	115	31	12	600	250	2	2
Madison,	449	728	87	134	67,600	.....	.....	.....
Monroe,	1,304	No rec'd	376	295	No report.	.....	.....	.....
New York,	12,251	13,504	3,112	4,728	427,050	39,918	1,284	181

§ Niagara,	666	2,159	191	205	20,000	6,330	.....	.....
Oneida,	1,093	223	223	154	16,850	.....	.....	6
Onondaga,	1,332	615	277	312	226,550	.....	24	.....
Ontario,	555	442	118	107	No report.	.....	.....	.....
Orange,	464	458	162	238	No record.	.....	37	.....
Orleans,	193	130	77	24	2,200	.....	1	.....
Oswego,	193	Norep't	127	75	.....	1,733	.....	.....
Otsego,	256	245	82	12	9,150	.....	1	.....
Putnam,	45	19	21	12	.....	.....	.....	.....
Queens,	784	280	139	223	3,000	.....	18	.....
Saratoga,	483	No rec'd	92	136	No record.	.....	.....	.....
§ Schuyler,	168	125	39	28	4,800	500	.....	.....
Seneca,	212	166	66	51	32,000	.....	.....	.....
Steuben,	497	2,601	139	141	31,650	.....	.....	.....
Suffolk,	224	No rec'd	155	47	No record.	.....	.....	.....
Sullivan,	124	156	42	5	32,150	.....	.....	.....
Tioga,	393	923	89	118	24,050	.....	3	.....
Ulster,	402	990	199	60	155,370	.....	.....	.....
Washington,	516	225	53	156	6,200	.....	.....	.....
Warren,	133	105	36	15	6,500	.....	4	3
Wayne,	446	1,760	62	120	.....	.....	48	23
Yates,	262	238	62	61	18,800	.....	13	6
Total,	35,062	32,298	8,777	9,736	1,303,120	54,466	1,565	246

* For 1866 only.

† No collections, except in 1865.

‡ No collections, except in 1866.

§ Collections were only made in the years 1861, 1862, 1864, 1865 and 1866.

¶ No collections, except in 1865.

ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE POLICE.

The Legislature at its first session after the adoption of this Constitution, shall provide by law for the organization of a State police force which shall be in lieu of city, county, or district police departments now existing under whatever name they may have been, or are now known or designated. In the act so passed for the establishment of a State police force, the Legislature shall provide for a chief executive officer to be appointed by the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and the said chief executive officer shall have the general charge and disposition of the whole State police force. The chief executive officer and the chiefs of divisions as hereinafter provided for, shall hold their offices during good behavior, and shall only be removed on impeachment and trial by the Senate, the same as now provided by law for the impeachment and trial of county judges. They, the Legislature shall by law divide the State into five divisions; as follows:

First division.

Second division.

Third division.

Fourth division.

Fifth division.

Each division shall be under the charge of a chief of division, and shall be sub-divided into five sections, and each section to be under the charge of a section inspector. The section inspectors shall form the staff of the chief of division, and the chief of staff to be designated by the chief of division shall possess all the powers, and perform the duties of chief of division in his necessary absence by reason of sickness or death, or in case of his removal and until his successor is appointed. The chiefs of division and section inspectors shall be nominated by the chief executive officer to the Governor, and if approved by him he shall within ten days after the receipt of the same, send the names of the persons so approved to the Senate for confirmation or rejection.

If the persons so nominated are not approved by the Governor, or if they are rejected by the Senate, the chief executive officer shall immediately thereafter be notified thereof in writing, and he shall, within ten days after being so notified, nominate other persons to

fill the offices of chiefs of divisions and section inspectors, and all vacancies in said offices shall be filled in like manner. Vacancies in either of said offices occurring during the recess of the Senate, may be filled by the chief executive officer, and the term of the officers so appointed shall expire at the end of the next session of the Senate. The men or privates composing the force hereby provided for shall, in all cities, be appointed by the Mayor, on nomination to the Board of Aldermen of each city, and those for counties in which there are no cities, and for parts of counties other than cities, shall be appointed by the Board of Supervisors of each county. The Mayor and Common Council of each city shall determine by ordinance the number of men to be appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen for said city, and the Board of Supervisors of each county shall in like manner determine the number of men to be appointed for each county or part of county other than cities. Captains, lieutenants, sergeants and all inferior officers shall be selected from among the privates, and be nominated by the Mayors of cities and the Presidents of Boards of Supervisors to the Board of Police, who may confirm or reject such nominations. In case of failure or neglect for ten days to make such nominations, the Board of Police shall proceed in like manner to select and appoint such officers the same as if they had been nominated as hereinbefore provided. The Mayor and Common Council of each city and the Board of Supervisors of each county shall raise by tax a sufficient amount of money to pay the salaries of all the men appointed by them, and of all the officers below the grade of section inspectors, and also the amount of money that the Board of Police shall certify to them to be necessary to provide the necessary station houses and to defray the incidental expenses in their respective cities and counties.

The chiefs of divisions shall convene a court in each section of not less than three from amongst the highest grades in the section, one of whom shall be the section inspector who shall be the presiding officer, twice in each week for the trial of members of the section below the grade of section inspector, and the said court shall report in writing the evidence so taken, their finding and sentence, which may extend to removal from office, to the chiefs of their respective divisions, and if approved by him the said judgment shall be final. The chief of division may disapprove of the finding or of the sentence and may order a new trial or reduce the punishment.

All charges against section inspectors shall be made to the chief executive officer and shall be tried before the Board of Police, and their finding and sentence in the case shall be final, but no sentence shall extend to removal from office unless two-thirds of the members of the Board shall vote in favor thereof.

The Governor of the State, the Attorney General of the State, the Chief Executive officer of the force herein provided for, and the Chiefs of Divisions, shall constitute a Board of State Police, and shall have the power to prescribe rules and regulations for the government of the whole force and for the separate divisions thereof, and they shall meet as often, and at such places as the rules and regulations may prescribe, and the rules and regulations adopted by said Board from time to time shall be binding on the whole police force. They may appoint a chief clerk of the Board and fix his salary. He shall hold his office during good behavior, and shall be removed only in the manner provided for the trial and removal of section inspectors. He shall have the entire charge of the clerical business of the whole force, and of the several divisions thereof, and shall select from the policemen of the force such number of assistants as the Board of Police may determine necessary to assist him in the performance of his duty.

In cases of insurrection or violence by mobs, &c., the Governor of the State, Mayors of cities, or Presidents of Boards of Supervisors, shall notify the chief of the division in which it may occur thereof, and it shall be his duty to immediately proceed to the place where the same may occur, with the whole or any part of the force under him, as the exigencies of the service may require, and use his utmost endeavors to suppress the same and arrest the offenders; and in case the force under him should be insufficient to enforce the laws, he may notify the chief executive officer, and call into service such regiments of the national guards of the State as he may deem necessary to aid him in the performance of his duty; and the national guards of the State when thus called into service, shall be under the command of the chief executive officer, or in his absence, of the chief of the division.

The chief executive officer shall have command of the whole police force of the State. The chiefs of divisions, subordinate

thereto, shall have command of the whole police of their respective divisions. The chief executive officer shall select and detail from the force, in such manner as the Board of Police may determine, a State detective squad of not more than fifty men, who shall be under his immediate command, and the chiefs of divisions shall in like manner select and detail detective squads for their several divisions, and any member of the detective squads, or any member of the force who colludes with thieves or promises them immunity from punishment, or receives directly or indirectly any gratuity, present or reward from thieves shall be deemed to be guilty of a felony, and the Legislature shall provide by law for the punishment thereof; and the return, by any member of the force, of property stolen to the owner thereof, without the arrest of the thief, shall be deemed to be prima facie evidence of such collusion, unless the party so charged shall prove that he came properly into the possession of such property in the discharge of his duty.

The Legislature shall provide by law for the incorporation of the several police departments of cities, counties and districts into the State force hereby created, and those holding offices as inspectors, surgeons, and all officers and privates below the grade of inspectors shall continue to hold their offices until removed as provided in this Constitution. All offices of commissioners and other offices of superior grade to Inspectors shall become vacant immediately upon the organization of the State police force.

No person shall be competent to appointment in the State police force who is not a citizen of the United States, and a resident of the State of New York for one year previous to the appointment, and who is not at the time in good bodily health, and who is not of good moral character, or who is not able to write intelligibly and speak easily the English language, and who does not understand the fundamental rules of arithmetic.

The chief executive officer and the chiefs of divisions shall have and possess all the powers now conferred by law upon the police justices of the city of New York.

The Board of police shall appoint in each division such number of surgeons as the Legislature may direct.



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